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Hearing date slated in supervisor's coke plant suit against Granite City

By Bill Bagby

Staff writer

NAMESOKI — A hearing is set for Feb. 1 on a suit filed by Namesoki Township Supervisor Harry Briggs Sr. The hearing continues the township's challenge to Granite City's annexation of the Granite City Steel coke plant.

The hearing will be held at the Madison County Courthouse in

Edwardsville before Associate Judge Edward Ferguson, Briggs said.

On July 21, Ferguson gave Briggs the right to file the suit continuing the township's challenge to the annexation. Briggs had to file as an individual on behalf of the township due to a legal technicality.

Ferguson granted a court order July 24 allowing Granite

City officials to appeal his decision allowing Briggs to file suit.

In his suit, Briggs states the annexation might deprive him of services provided to township residents, force him to pay higher taxes because the township's assessed valuation would be lowered, and hamper his performance as supervisor due to reduction of revenue.

The assessed valuation of the

coke plant is more than \$11 million, according to Briggs' petition.

City officials state Briggs can't contest the annexation because Briggs doesn't live in the area being annexed.

A court ruling in May by Judge Moses Harrison, Fifth Appellate Court in Mount Vernon, upheld the city's annexation of the plant, also known as the blast furnace division.

Reviews and previews

State's attorney says deal made

State's Attorney Dick Allen said last week that he's being picked on because he's supporting Madison County Auditor Pete Fields for Congress. As an opponent to his re-election, Allen named Mac Warfield, city street superintendent, who heads the county's Democratic Central Committee, which endorsed St. Clair County Board Chairman Jerry Costello for Congress. Allen did not get the endorsement of the committee.

Council OKs stricter rules

Aldermen will be subject to stricter meeting rules as a result of an ordinance passed Dec. 1. No item will be allowed on the agenda unless it is handed in at the city clerk's office before 5 p.m. Thursday prior to a Tuesday council meeting. Citizens who want to address the council and are not on the agenda can do so only with two-thirds council approval.

Basic cable rates to increase

Cencom Cable Television's rates for basic service in the Granite City area, now \$10.95 per month, will go up to \$13.45 on Jan. 1. The local senior citizen discount will remain at \$2.

50 years ago

Thursday, Dec. 16, 1937

In a 13-page opinion, Attorney General Otto Kerner held that police officers may seize slot machines and arrest those involved with the machines' operations without a warrant if the machines are in public places.

Tell it like it is

Q: Have the recent incidents of motorists being fired on while driving on interstates affected how you drive or behave on the road?

Terry Page

"I don't think it really affects me. Getting shot at by somebody on the highway is about the same odds as winning the lottery. There's about 2 million people in the St. Louis area."

— Harvey Place

Earl Dothage

"Yes, I have turned into a swivel-necked driver, suspicious of each and every car. Especially kids pointing toy guns."

— Iowa Street

NEXT WEEK: Should residents have to give prior notice to the City Council before being allowed to talk at council meetings? To record your answer, phone 452-0222 between 5:30 p.m. and 8 a.m. daily. Leave your name, address, hometown and phone number.

Quote of the week

"I would love to have Jason in a regular school. He's lonely," said Tammie Robertson, the mother of a 7-year-old AIDS victim kept away from other school children at his mother's request. "Just last week he was talking about a Christmas party at school. He said, 'How can I have a party with just me?'"

Tip of the hat

Happy birthday
Today marks the 75th anniversary of the Granite City Public Library. On Dec. 16, 1912, the library began loaning books to city residents from a collection of about 1,000 volumes. Now the combined library services here loan more books in one day than were contained in that first collection. The first public library was at 19th Street and Delmar Avenue on the second floor of the Judd and Gonterman Building. On Nov. 6, 1929, dedication ceremonies were held for the present main library.

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BAC's Wissore fired

By Bill Bagby

Staff writer

BELLELEVILLE — Bruce Wissore was fired Saturday as chancellor of Belleville Area College.

The college's Board of Trustees voted 4-3 to remove Wissore following a two-hour executive session. Wissore will be offered a teaching position at the school. "I've been very concerned with the divisiveness of the board and the divisiveness of the community," said Trustee Larry Reinbeck. "I feel it must be done."

Trustee Robert Dintelmann said Wissore had provided "innovative and positive leadership" for the college since becoming the top administrator in 1980.

Voting to remove Wissore were Reinbeck, Ted Farmer, Elizabeth Jenner and Dan Wolford. Dintelmann, Curt Eckert and Catherine Bennett voted against it. Student Trustee Linda Roy abstained.

Wissore wasn't present at the meeting.

Zoning law ignored

By Dave Gosnell

Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Contrary to state law, the city has not regularly updated its zoning map.

Plan Commission chairman Phillip Theis said the city has not complied with a state law that requires communities to annually prepare a revised zoning map if the city has changed any zoning designations within a year.

Theis, who became commission chairman in 1986, said that state law requires the city to publish a new map every year. He said he did not know why the city engineering office failed to revise the zoning map every year, but said a new map will reflect many years of zoning changes.

"The old map was a mess," Theis said.

"We were aware of it. We simply didn't have the personnel to update the map annually," said Ed Schulze, an engineer for the city for 14 years. "They'll be prepared more frequently now."

A new zoning map was expected to be presented to the council on Tuesday. The city hired a temporary employee in the summer to research city zoning changes dating back to 1969, using minutes of past council meetings. The research results are incorporated in the new map.

Former Plan Commission member Sandra Shaw, who was on the commission from 1980 to 1985, said the lack of an updated map sometimes caused zoning decisions to be made without correct information.

"You cannot retain in your head what all the zoning in Granite City is," Shaw said. "We did not receive new maps. I don't know why."

She said that during her term as a commission member, she approved by the City Council in 1981 and revised in 1985, a zoning map to at almost every meeting.

One of the more dramatic changes in city zoning patterns reflected in the new map shows Johnson Road becoming increasingly commercial.

On the old map, Johnson Road, from Primrose to Wabash avenues, was zoned residential. That area is now zoned mostly commercial, according to the new map.



(Staff photo by Patrick Foley)

Keeping up

CLEARING THE SIDEWALKS: Dave Hoffman, an employee of Don Johnston Chrysler, 19th Street and Grand Avenue, shovels the sidewalks outside the dealership early Monday morning as snow continued to fall. About six inches fell on the Quad-City Area.

Thomas seeks coroner's job

By Gary King

Staff writer

GRANITE CITY — Local mortician Bob Thomas said Friday that he will continue to seek the Madison County coroner's post despite not receiving the endorsement of the County Democratic Central Committee.

The committee endorsed Coroner Dallas Burke, Alton, Dec. 9 for nomination in the March 15 Democratic primary.

"I expected her to get the endorsement," Thomas said. "I have no disrespect for her, but few years I've had a lot of convictions about changing the county coroner's office from the way it has been run in the past."

Thomas said that, if elected, he would attempt to centralize the location of the county coroner's office.

"I definitely feel that the days of holding inquests in funeral homes and working out of a private office rather than a municipal building are long past," Thomas said.

"I think the coroner's office should be located in the county seat. If we can't have it in Edwardsville, then it should be

in some municipal building in the county."

Thomas, 44, said he is also concerned about moving the inquests into a county courtroom. Inquests are currently held in funeral homes and the coroner's office, he said.

"I think the inquests need to be held in courtrooms, and that there needs to be a complete cross-examination of each witness in order to bring out all the aspects of the cause of death," Thomas said.

A closer network also needs to be created between the coroner and local police and fire departments, Thomas said.

He said his ideas have drawn support from county residents, and that he has "more than enough" signatures to get his name on the March primary ballot. "I've received a lot of support that I wasn't even expecting," Thomas said.

Thomas has owned the Thomas-Mercer Funeral Homes since 1975. In 1981, Thomas-Mercer merged with Lohy-Sedlack Mortuary. He has a wife, Patricia, and five children.

Thomas's father, the late Bob Thomas Sr., held the coroner's post in the 1960s, being elected as a Republican.



WHO DO YOU THINK LOOKS LIKE THE BEST CANDIDATE SO FAR?



All can help fight drunken driving

To the editor:
The week of Dec. 13-19 has been designated by Congress as "National Drunk and Drugged Driver Awareness Week."

The Congressional intent of this action is to raise public awareness to the serious risks of drunk and drugged driving and to draw attention to the fact that drunk and drugged driving is the most frequently committed violent crime in America.

Further, this special week is intended to keep the fight going against drug-impaired driving. I would first like to address the awareness issue.

Most are probably aware that over 50 percent of all highway deaths nationwide are known to be alcohol related.

Figures, from nationwide traffic accidents which occurred in 1986 show that alcohol was a factor in at least 27,000 fatal accidents, 320,000 injury accidents and 1.3 million property damage accidents.

During the past two years,

changes have been made which show promise of working to reduce the number of deaths from alcohol-related accidents.

Among those changes are Illinois' tough driving under the influence law which went into effect on Jan. 1, 1986, and the ruling by the Illinois Supreme Court which permits police to conduct roadside safety checks.

These changes and legal rulings are great. However, I believe that individual action on the part of each citizen is the key to changing public attitudes toward drinking and driving.

The progress we have seen in the war against drunk driving is mostly the result of the outrage of thousands of citizens across the country to a senseless slaughter on our streets and highways.

If you can save one person's life by writing a letter, taking a stand in a conversation, persuading someone to change his behavior, or not permitting an impaired person to drive, you will have succeeded in making

our communities a better place to live.

I want to encourage all of the citizens of this state to join the Illinois State Police in supporting the "Designated Driver—Being a Friend" concept. It is important for partygoers to arrange for sober transportation before leaving the party.

Any citizens or organizations that would like more information on curbing drug-impaired driving may call any state police headquarters and ask to talk to the public information officer, or contact the Illinois State Police Public Affairs Section at 217-782-6637.

In addition to our enforcement effort, we will assist you in any way possible to remove drunk and drugged drivers from your streets and highways. Drinking and driving must be made socially unacceptable. The Illinois State Police will appreciate any assistance you may provide toward this goal.

JEREMY D. MARGOLIS
Director, Illinois State Police

Firms give legislators higher grades

To the editor:
The overall attitude of the 85th Illinois General Assembly toward issues of concern to manufacturers showed improvement in the 1987 session compared to that of the previous session.

This is one of the findings to emerge from a study of legislative performance ratings assigned to Illinois House and Senate members of the Manufacturers Political Action Committee (MPAC), an affiliate of the Illinois Manufacturers' Association (I.M.A.).

MPAC compiled the ratings to inform the I.M.A.'s membership of over 8,000 executives of 5,300 companies and plants throughout Illinois how legislators addressed a variety of 1987 issues affecting the state's manufacturing climate.

Among the key issues debated during the session were elimination of the energy tax on fuels used in the manufacturing process, "comparable worth," plant closing notification, Illinois Energy Assistance Act reform, the Illinois Groundwater Act, and the "first birthday" coordination of health care benefits bill.

The unemployment insurance (UI) rewrite was not included in MPAC's 1987 ratings because it passed unanimously in both

houses. However, I.M.A. officials said they appreciate the General Assembly's statesmanlike resolve in maintaining the agreed bill process throughout the UI negotiations. The result was a UI agreement hammered out by labor and management.

Based on actual voting records in the General Assembly, MPAC ratings are generally regarded as a reliable index of legislators' concern for creating and maintaining manufacturing jobs in Illinois. The I.M.A. staff analyzed roll call votes on a total of 10 selected bills in each house of the General Assembly during the 1987 session. Each bill was assigned a "weight factor," and each legislator was assigned a "manufacturing jobs quotient" (MJQ) based on how he or she voted on the 10 bills.

The rating scale ranges from zero to 100 (with 100 the most favorable). The weight factor assigned to each bill was necessarily judgmental, but it was based on the importance of legislation to manufacturing jobs in Illinois, according to I.M.A. officials.

An analysis of the average ratings shows an increase in support of pro-jobs legislation in both houses of the legislature. In the House the MJQ was 67 percent, an increase of 17 percentage points over last year's rat-

ing. In the Senate the increase was less pronounced. The MJQ of 60 percent was three percentage points greater than last year's rating.

Thirty legislators—23 in the House, and seven in the Senate—rated 100. All are Republicans.

Additional analysis shows that 26 House members voted with the I.M.A. between 75 and 99 percent of the time. In the Senate, 20 members voted with the I.M.A. between 75 and 99 percent of the time. On the average during the 1987 session, House Republicans voted "with" the I.M.A. 85 percent of the time, and Senate Republicans 89 percent of the time.

In contrast, House Democrats voted with the I.M.A. 44 percent of the time, and Senate Democrats 31 percent of the time. Rep. Sam Wolf received a 50 percent rating and Sen. Sam Vadalabene 40 percent.

The House has 118 members (67 Democrats and 51 Republicans). The Senate has 59 members (31 Democrats, 28 Republicans). Sixty votes are required in the House to pass a bill, 30 in the Senate.

CHARLES J. SHIELDS
Director of Communications
Ill. Manufacturers' Association

Toy drive for Santa's tots under way

To the editor:
Each year I ask myself how will I ever get toys enough for all the boys and girls.

But when the time "comes, somehow I find the time. I do this because I can't bear the thought of a child waking up on Christmas morning without a gift to play with.

It takes the whole month of December. The reward I receive is seeing a smile on a mother's or dad's face when they pick-up the gift-wrapped toys.

I cannot do this by myself. It takes you, the people with love in their hearts, to give and to

donate money, and new and used toys.

I have friends and loved ones who help clean toys and gift-wrap them according to the age and sex of the child.

This is the fifth year that I have been given in this way. If anyone wants to see this done, come on out and help.

If children have any toys that they want to share with a child, or if anyone would like to give a new toy for a boy or a girl, will be glad to pick up anything.

This is not a Toys for Tots drive. For the past years I have

been calling it such. But I found out some of you gave to this cause and thought it was going to be the Marine's drive, called Toys for Tots. I truly respect anyone that does good deeds for anyone at any time of the year, but the children of Metro East did not receive those toys.

There will be a toy box at Lefroy's Market on Ponton Road. If you need a pickup, call and ask for Dottie Bennett at 797-6969.

Thank you and may God bless each of you.
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Santa breakfast elves

HOLIDAY HELPERS Lynn Crawford, left, Venice, and Laura Ingham, Granite City, both students at the Granite City Campus of Belleville Area College, will portray elves during "Breakfast With Santa" from 8:45 to 10:15 a.m. Saturday, Dec. 19, at the Granite City Campus, 4950 Maryville Road. Tickets are \$1.25 per person and are available in advance at the campus administrative office. There is a limit of three children per adult. Activities include breakfast, storytelling and visits with Santa Claus. The program is funded in part by Southern Illinois Arts, Collinsville MAC Inc. and Granite City Steel.

Lions have endowment fund to help visually impaired

Lions are known for helping the blind and visually impaired, and the deaf and hearing impaired, but less known is that the Lions have an endowment fund to support that help. The fund is a means to remember friends and family members who have died. "The endowment fund is a living fund in that only the interest goes for the support of Lions programs and services. The main body of the fund is not touched and increases as contributions are received," Eugene Fluegel, Lena, Ill., president of the Lions of Illinois Foundation, said. For all contributions, memorial or happy occasion, a special card is sent from the offices of the Lions of Illinois Foundation in River Forest to the family of the person being remembered to show that a contribution has been made in his memory. Participants in the Lions Happy Day or Memorial Endowment programs need give no specific amounts; the contribution is voluntary. The Lions of Illinois Foundation, which coordinates the endowment fund, is the charitable affiliate of the Lions Clubs in Illinois. Income from the fund goes to various Lions humanitarian activities and programs for blind and deaf children; and to the support of blind and deaf persons in need, through the Lions Social Services and Referrals Department. Other Lions programs which benefit from the fund include the Lions glaucoma and hearing screening units; the eye donor registry program, which is aimed at providing eye tissue to persons requiring corneal transplants; and the Lions Used Hearing Aid Bank. For further information about the Lions of Illinois Endowment Fund, or about planned giving, contact the Lions of Illinois Foundation, 7321 W. Lake St., River Forest, Ill. 60305, or phone (312) 771-5800.

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Local nurses give talks in Australia

By Ken Moser

Only four nurses from the United States — two from St. Elizabeth Medical Center in Granite City — were invited to Australia to give oral presentations at an international occupational health conference. Ginny Lepping and Karen Dannenberg, certified occupational health nurses at St. Elizabeth, were among the select few who had abstracts chosen for oral presentations. "It was a professional honor and an enriching experience," Lepping said.

Over 700 abstracts had been submitted for the 28th oral and 280 poster presentations at the 22nd International Commission on Occupational Health (ICOH). Of the 288, 18 were chosen for the "Occupational Health Nursing" session. Occupational health is a specialty concerned with the health and safety of workers.

Lepping was invited to Sydney, New South Wales, to discuss "Work Hardening and the Role of the Occupational Health Nurse: An Alternative to Delayed Recovery Syndrome." Dannenberg addressed the issue, "Drug Screening in the Work Place: An Occupational Health Nursing Perspective."

The week-long conference held at Sydney's Opera House drew over 2,500 delegates from 65 countries. Delegates included physicians, occupational hygienists, nurses, ergonomists, epidemiologists and safety engineers.

For Lepping, it was her third trip to the land Down Under; for Dannenberg, it was her first. In 1980, Lepping did an independent study in Australia on occupational health care management in a foreign culture. The trip was sponsored by the University of Southern California.



Karen Dannenberg



Ginny Lepping

nia, the Harvard University Trade Union Program, and the International Brotherhood of Painters and Allied Trades, Washington, D.C.

In September 1982, she presented her results at the Australian Occupational Health Nurses conference in Adelaide, South Australia, as a representative of the American Association of Occupational Health Nurses.

She also has delivered other talks on occupational health care in Ireland and Sweden.

On her most recent trip to Australia, Lepping spoke about disability behavior and work hardening, the latter program one that seeks to restore a worker's abilities and confidence through safe, progressive rehabilitation.

SEMC recently opened "The Work Center" as a division of Wellness and Occupational Health Center, and Lepping spoke about its operation and early progress as part of her 20-minute talk.

Olin gets defense contract

WASHINGTON — Olin Corp. received a three-year, \$29 million Defense Department contract to produce ammunition for Navy ships.

Olin will produce 1.7 million Mark 149, 20mm Phalanx cartridges in 1988 and 1.6 million cartridges in each of the two following years.

The ammunition is used for close-in weapons systems — the

last-ditch defense against incoming planes or rockets such as the Iraqi Exocet missiles that crippled the USS Stark in the Persian Gulf earlier this year.

Defense Department contract specialist Grant Curtis said the department is still looking for a second source to produce 1.7 million of the cartridges over three years. The ammunition will be made at Olin's plant in Marion.

Repair man tries to dupe resident

A man who told a West Madison resident he was with a contract crew of Illinois Power Co. — and said he would fix a broken pipe on her furnace — is not an employee of the power company.

Dean Belcher, assistant customer supervisor, said the company has no contract crews in the area.

If anyone does approach a homeowner, says he is employed by Illinois Power and offers to fix pipes, the resident is advised to call Illinois Power at 798-6220 for identification, Belcher said.

The woman said she did not let the man enter her home.

Driver service offices set holiday closings

All Secretary of State offices and facilities will be closed Friday, Dec. 25, for Christmas and Friday, Jan. 1, for New Year's. Sec. of State Jim Edgar has announced.

After Christmas Day, downstate Driver Services Facilities, which are normally open Tuesday through Saturday, will resume business Saturday, Dec. 26.

For the New Year's holiday, downstate facilities will resume business Saturday, Jan. 2.

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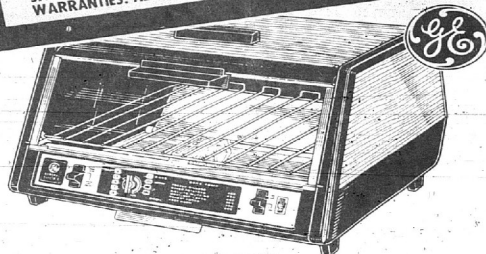
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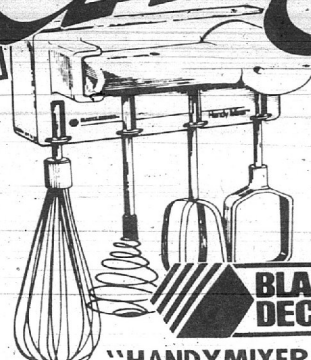
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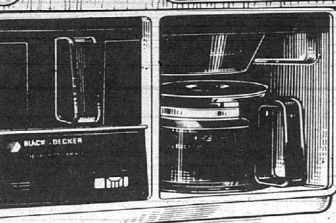


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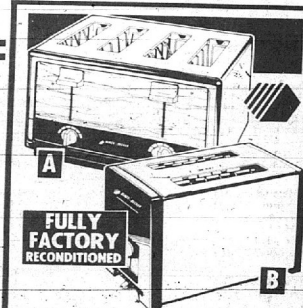
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Police court news

HUD recovers funds, records indictments

Secretary of Housing and Urban Development Samuel R. Pierce Jr. has summarized for Congress the major audit investigations, and fraud control activities during the second half of fiscal 1987.

In transmitting the report to Congress, Pierce said, "HUD continues to vigorously address problems being identified by the department's Office of Inspector General and is continuing to implement the necessary procedures to prevent such problems in the future."

From April to September, management's actions on audits and investigations resulted in cash recoveries and savings of \$36.4 million. Management also agreed to recover an additional \$2.8 million. It further took action to prevent improper or wasteful expenditures of funds, and achieve cost reductions, amounting to \$18 million.

The efforts resulted in 230 indictments and 175 convictions with sentences totaling 157 years in prison.

The report highlights problems in two major HUD programs: First, despite the successful implementation of recommendations from Pierce's Single Family Task Force to reduce or eliminate problem areas in the department's Single Family Insurance Programs, there continue to be serious systemic weaknesses in the program.

The inspector general's office, with departmental assistance, initiated or continued intensive audits and investigations against investors, real estate brokers and mortgagees who have abused the Single Family Program in Denver, Chicago, Los Angeles, Seattle, St. Louis and Columbia, S.C.

The OIG continues to recommend implementation of procedures to strengthen loan underwriting and improve property appraisal procedures. Since the last report, the OIG has referred 13 mortgage companies to the department's Mortgagee Review

Board of administrative sanctions and recommended that 138 individuals and/or firms be barred from further business with HUD.

Second, in order to detect and prevent tenant fraud, the OIG is working with the department to support passage of legislation that would give HUD the authority to conduct tenant income matching and have access to tenant wage and income data.

Without the necessary authority to prevent tenant fraud, an estimated \$200 million may be lost each year. The department has taken a step toward fighting tenant fraud by awarding a contract for a quality control system that will examine tenant eligibility, seek to reduce administrative errors and improve program integrity.

Copies of the Semiannual Report to Congress can be obtained from the Office of Inspector General, HUD, Room 9290, 401 17th St. SW, Washington, D.C. 20410.

Madison police

Railroad brass stolen
Eight pieces of stolen brass, valued at \$360, were taken from a railroad car at Kerr-McGee, it was reported to Madison police at 12:25 a.m. Dec. 10.

Residence burglarized
Richard Krieshop, 1115 Reynolds St., found the door at his home kicked open at 2:30 p.m. Dec. 9, and the residence ransacked. A list is being made of missing items.

Plaza trespass arrest
Donna F. Nelson, 28, Apt. 338 Thomas & Terry, Brooklyn, was arrested at 4:27 a.m. Dec. 10 at Gateway Midstate Truck Plaza and charged with criminal trespass to land. She was released on a notice to appear Jan. 28 in Belleville.

Arrest on warrant
William J. Webb, 19, 1436 Second St., was booked on a warrant alleging criminal damage to property at 10:07 a.m. Dec. 10. He was released on \$52 bail.

Shasta gate damaged
A post and gate were damaged on the grounds of Shasta Illinois.

Inc. Washington Avenue and Race Street, at 1:48 p.m. Dec. 8, the operations manager, Anthony Sarti, reported.

Arrested on warrant
Edward Sudym, 21, 1127 St. Thomas Road, was arrested at Eighth Street and Grand Avenue at 11:54 a.m. Dec. 8. He was booked on a Madison County warrant alleging failing to reduce speed and also improperly starting a parked vehicle. He was transferred to the Madison County jail.

Parked auto damaged
Ruth Franklin, 21, 1274 Evans Ave., reported Dec. 8 the back window of her car was shattered with a rock while the auto was parked in front of her home.

Burglar obtains \$75
Lester Reed, 204 Madison Ave., found the front door of his apartment standing open when he returned there at 2 a.m. Dec. 9. Reed said \$75 was missing.

DUIs

Car strikes metal fence
Evelyn T. Teator, 56, 2222 W. Chain of Rocks Road, was charged with driving while under the influence of alcohol after she was arrested on West 23rd Street at 6:51 p.m. Dec. 7.

Teator was going west when her car left the road and struck the chain link fence of Dorothy King, 2312 West 23rd St. Damage to the fence was estimated at \$500.

Auto allegedly driven toward police vehicle
Clifford J. Cook, 28, 2041 Edison Ave., was charged with driving while under the influence of alcohol about 9:50 p.m. Dec. 5 after his car allegedly drove in the oncoming lane toward a squad car and ran a traffic signal at West 20th Street and Rock Road.

He was stopped at 19th and Benton streets and also charged with improper lane usage and disobeying a traffic control device. He was released on \$102 cash bail and his driver's license.

Granite City police

Leaves purse in cart; credit card, \$75 gone

Joy D. Dunlap, 2816 Madison Ave., left a black leather purse in a shopping cart at the National Food Store parking lot and when she returned to get the purse it was gone, she reported at 4 p.m. Dec. 4.

The purse contained \$75 cash, two payroll checks amounting to \$558, a credit card, an opal and diamond ring valued at \$700, a pair of gold earrings worth \$300 and four or five gold rings, she said.

Soon after the theft was reported, Dunlap was notified by a department store that someone attempted to use the credit card from the purse.

Boat propeller taken

A stainless steel propeller valued at \$400 was stolen from the outboard motor on a boat parked in the driveway at the home of Frank Zabawa, 2511 Emert Ave., he reported Dec. 4.

Warrant in DUI case

Stanley Mack Jackson Jr., 20, 214 Robert Ave., was served a warrant — alleging failure to appear on a charge of driving under the influence of alcohol — when arrested Dec. 5 at a home in the 2800 block of Marshall Avenue. An officer went to the residence in response to complaints of a loud party, reports said.

Arrested on warrant

Curtis D. Spink, 25, 2430 Logan Ave., was arrested Dec. 4 at 27th Street and Madison Avenue on a theft warrant which cited him for failing to post bond as directed.

Battery, trespassing, assault charges filed

Frank Leon Hollenbeck, 28, 2625 rear Lincoln Ave., was booked on two charges — battery, aggravated assault, plus additional charges of battery and criminal trespass to land, when arrested at gunpoint near his address at 8:15 p.m. Dec. 4.

An incident leading to the charges occurred at the home of Catherine Hutchinson, 2507 Kirkpatrick Homes, where Hollenbeck and Kimberly Thies, a relative of Hutchinson, had gone for dinner. Hutchinson alleged Hollenbeck was drinking and became belligerent toward everyone, including three young children in the home. Hollenbeck and Thies reportedly argued, with Hollenbeck making threats and allegedly displaying a small handgun.

Hollenbeck refused to leave the apartment and, when Thies went upstairs, he tried to follow her. It was alleged, Hutchinson attempted to stop him, but then ran to a neighbor's home to call police. Hollenbeck left the apartment.

A few minutes later, officers reported seeing Hollenbeck in the basement of a house in the 2600 block of Lincoln Avenue and he was arrested when he came out. No weapon was found on him by police.

Battery warrant served

John P. Moore, 22, 210 Holiday

Mobile Homes, was arrested Dec. 8 on city warrants for battery and criminal trespass to property, based on a complaint Dec. 6 by Becky Graham. He pleaded innocent. Bail was set at \$1,000, and he was transferred to the Madison County jail.

Man arrested on two allegations of battery

James L. Keel, 24, of the 1700 block of Maple Avenue, was arrested for battery Dec. 9, based on a complaint by Cynthia Lynn Davidson. Keel allegedly shoved Davidson, causing her to fall and strike her head on a piece of furniture. She suffered a wide cut over her left eye.

Keel was also served a city warrant for battery.

\$395 taken from purse

Kathleen Endicott, 4912 Kirkpatrick Homes, said \$395 cash was taken Dec. 9 from her purse on her kitchen table while she was out of the room.

Flatbed trailer stolen

Ellis Baker, Effington, Mo., reported Dec. 9 that a 40-foot flatbed trailer was taken from his property at 1559a State St. The red, 1972 trailer, valued at \$3,500, was last seen parked on the lot about two weeks ago.

ACT bus, car collide along Nameoki Road

An ACT Agency for community transit bus, carrying four passengers, collided with a car about 2:20 p.m. Dec. 9 in the 3400 block of Nameoki Road.

Madison County Transit driver Charles E. Reed, 304 McCambridge Ave., E. Madison, said he was going north in the outside lane when he put on his turn signal, checked both lanes and then pulled into the inside lane, where the accident occurred.

Driver Renee M. Wolf, 21 Bermuda Lane, said she was driving next to the bus when it pulled over and struck her car's right front fender.

No one was injured.

2 Kirkpatrick residents report car burglaries

Two Kirkpatrick Homes residents reported that their automobiles were burglarized during the night Dec. 6 while the vehicles were parked on a lot in the 2600 block of Nameoki Road.

Debra Mayes, 2708 Kirkpatrick Homes, said her windshield was broken and a \$200 cassette player was taken from her car. Vicky Colp, 4407 Kirkpatrick Homes, said cassette tapes worth \$200 were taken and her car's speakers were damaged.

3 warrants served

Timothy S. Strubberg, 17, St. Louis, was arrested Dec. 6 on Granite City warrants for assault,

disorderly conduct and criminal trespass to land. Cash bail was set at \$471.



The Offices Of Chris V. Geroff, D.D.S. is pleased to announce the associateship of **Richard R. Boatman Jr., D.M.D.** to his staff for the practice of General Dentistry for the Family. Dr. Boatman is a native of Granite City and resided here for 21 years. He is a graduate of GCHS (North 1979, Illinois Wesleyan University) 1983, S.I.U. School of Dental Medicine/1987 and is currently doing residency at St. Mary's Hospital, E. St. Louis. Dr. Boatman will be working evenings & Saturdays at Dr. Chris V. Geroff's office, 2046 State Street, Granite City. Dr. Boatman is married to the former Ann Price of Collinsville and is the father of twin daughters born in June, Ashley and Brittany. Please call for dental appointments... 877-5310

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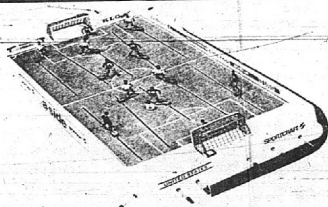
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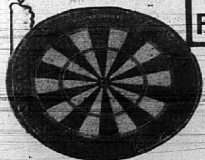
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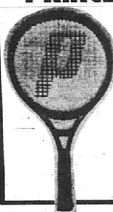
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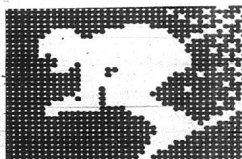
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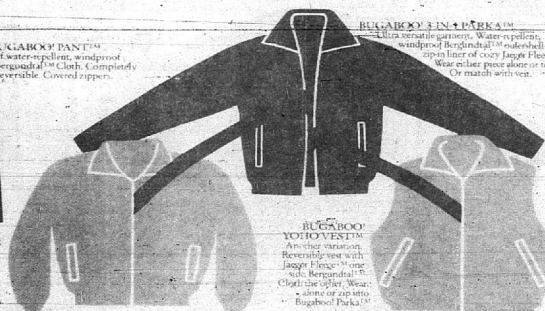
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Granite City police

Dental offices ransacked

A burglar ransacked the dental offices of Dr. William Chen at 4168 Nameoki Road Dec. 8.

An employee said that when she reported to work, papers and other items were strewn on the floor near the door. Inside, a desk had been ransacked and a box containing \$160 and an envelope with \$18 had been taken. A cabinet had been pried open.

Automobile strikes doors of Farm Fresh Store

An automobile drove into the front of the Farm Fresh Milk Store, 2928 Nameoki Road, at about 1:07 p.m. Dec. 8, apparently due to a malfunction of the car.

Driver Judy D. Gerber, 2907 Buxton Ave., said she had pulled into the parking lot with the intention of stopping at the front entrance when her car's brakes failed. Two front glass doors and metal frames and a burglar alarm were damaged.

Gerber was issued a ticket for driving with an expired license.

Automobile hits child at Marshall School

A car drove over the foot of a 10-year-old student as he was running across the street to Marshall School, 2700 Marshall Ave., during a rainstorm about 8:25 a.m. Dec. 7.

Mathew Vollman, 2804 Warren Ave., had just gotten out of his father's car, in the southbound lane of Marshall across the street from the school, when he apparently ran into the path of the northbound car of Iona M. Lee, 2633 East 28th St. Lee said she applied brakes but ran over the child's left foot.

Vollman was treated and released at St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Car strikes garage

Mark W. Carney, 24, 2025 Bryan Ave., was going north on Hall Street at 7:16 a.m. Dec. 7 when he lost control of his car and it ran into the garage of Elizabeth Novach, 2236 East 24th St. Carney was issued a ticket for driving while his license was revoked.

Woman driver injured

Kara Ann Kosyodor, 18, 3219 Wilcox Ave., was taken to St. Elizabeth Medical Center after her auto hit a parked car at 10:05 a.m. Dec. 5 in the 2200 block of Delmar Avenue. Kosyodor said she was going north when she reached down to adjust the heater and struck the car of Mary Destorius, 2227 Delmar Ave.

Carpeting tools taken

Jason Clark Sr., 2826 West 20th St., said carpeting tools worth \$750 and a toolbox were taken from his property Dec. 8.

Check, cash missing

Violent Kassabaum, 3655 Nameoki Road, said a \$395 check and \$100 cash were taken from her purse sometime Dec. 5.

Weapons, jewelry taken from house on Pershing

A burglar took weapons, jewelry and other items Dec. 10 from the home of Billy L. Uhls, 2821 Pershing Ave.

Uhls called police after he returned home and found a door ajar and a pane of glass broken.

Taken were a 12 gauge shotgun, .22 caliber rifle, video cassette recorder, a large quantity of costume jewelry, diamond earrings, a diamond ring, a diamond watch, a gold chain and a box of checks.

Minor arrested in tavern

Richard E. Howland, of the 2600 block of Center Street, was charged with unlawful possession of cannabis and being a minor in possession of alcohol after patrolmen went to the Tip-Top Tavern, 1746 State St., and alleged finding Howland drinking a beer.

During his arrest, a cannabis cigarette was said to have been found in his jacket. He was released on \$102 cash bail.

Driver, infant injured in two-car accident

Driver Kenneth A. Kirkover, 23, 544 Chouteau Ave., and his passenger, Amber Kirkover, 1, were both injured when their car was struck from the rear at 12:27 a.m. Dec. 11. Their car was stopped for a red

light on Nameoki Road at the Pontoon Road intersection.

The second driver, George C. Brissette, 17, 1614 Courtney Blvd., was issued tickets at his home for leaving the scene of an accident with vehicle damage and failing to reduce speed to avoid an accident.

Kirkover drove himself and his passenger to St. Elizabeth Medical Center.

Granite City Steel train, auto collide; no injuries

Three people escaped injury when their car was hit by a Granite City Steel train at 3:27 p.m. Dec. 10 on Edwardsville Road, near the Atlantic Street intersection.

Driver Debra L. Hayes, 30, East St. Louis, said she was going south on Edwardsville when she saw railroad lights flashing and heard a bell sounding, but could not see a train coming due to trucks stopped in traffic. She said she went around the trucks and attempted to cross the tracks when the collision occurred.

The train, pushing four hot-metal ladle cars, was being operated by remote control by John L. Schutzenhofer, Fairview Heights. He said he was backing the train across the tracks when the auto passed the warning signals.

Passengers in the car were Alma Hart, 28, and Melissa A. Hayes, 14, both of East St. Louis.

Residence of minister burglarized, food thrown

The home of the Rev. Mark Haumschilt, 2 Colonial Drive, was burglarized and vandalized Dec. 5. Eggs and other food were taken from a refrigerator and thrown against the wall of a utility room, and ice cream was left on the floor. Taken were a \$2,000 gold watch, a \$260 35mm camera and a 25-pound turkey.

Haumschilt is the pastor of Second Baptist Church, 2100 Illinois Ave.

Three warrants served

Charles D. Sprink, 29, 3607 Kirkpatrick Homes, was arrested Dec. 7 and booked on warrants for theft, reckless driving and violating a motor vehicle classification.

Madison police

Purse snatching

After making a deposit at the First National Bank in Madison at 1:09 p.m. Dec. 3, Christine Zakos, 1521 Sixth St., left the facility and was struck in the back by a man who grabbed her purse and fled on foot across Sixth Street eastbound toward Washington Avenue.

A postal employee told police he saw a thin man about 22 years old with short hair wearing a blue shirt, blue jeans and white tennis shoes, running on the south side of Sixth Street carrying a woman's purse. Police searched the area but did not locate the man.

Burglarly at truck stop

Forty-three cases of Coors Light

County police

Burglar gets microwave

Fred Manship, of 95 Holiday Mobile Home Park, said Dec. 6 a burglar entered his residence and ransacked a bedroom. Taken were a "ham" radio valued at \$300, a calculator worth \$25 and a microwave oven valued at \$250.

beer, valued at \$365, were stolen from a truck parked at Gateway Truck Plaza, William Jones, 33 of Memphis, Tenn., the driver reported the incident at 12:46 p.m. Dec. 6.

Teller window broken

The plate-glass window on the north side of the Total Teller in the 800 block of Madison Avenue was found broken at 2:27 p.m. on Dec. 5.

Car window broken

The passenger side rear window of a 1982 Toyota, owned by Susan Beede, 907 Madison Ave., was found damaged at 2:21 a.m. Dec. 5.

Criminal trespass

Two juveniles were found inside the Board of Education offices, 1707 Fourth St., at 4:45 p.m. Dec. 3. Nothing was found to be missing and the two were released to their parents on a notice to appear.

Car spray painted

Glenn Jones, 2035 Beckwith St., reported someone used orange spray paint to cover all four head-

lamps on his 1983 Renault. He discovered the damage at 4:30 p.m. Dec. 2.

Arrested on warrants

Harvey Nelson, 29, 1300 Klein St., Venice, was arrested at 3:35 a.m. Dec. 2 on a Madison warrant charging failure to give information after striking an unattended vehicle, and on a Venice Police Department warrant for disorderly conduct. He was transferred to the Venice Police Department at 4:25 a.m.

Fugitive arrested

St. Louis police were in pursuit of a vehicle on Illinois 3 at 11:12 p.m. Dec. 4 when the car stopped in the 700 block of Franklin St. Mark Steven Lohman, 23, 4509 Kirkpatrick Homes, allegedly exited the car and attempted to run but was held in custody until Madison Police officers arrived. Lohman complained of injuries sustained while running from the St. Louis officers and was taken to St. Louis Medical Center for treatment. He was returned to Madison where he is being held pending issuance of fugitive warrants.

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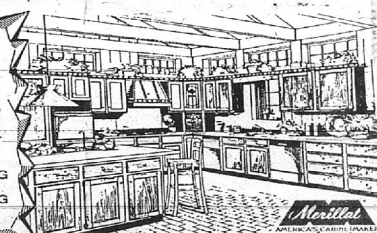
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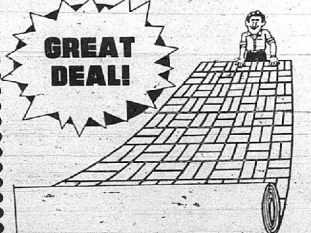


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Hutson-Jackson

Theresa Marie Jackson and Richard L. Hutson Jr. were married June 20 at St. Aloysius Catholic Church, St. Louis, by the Rev. John F. Geoghegan.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norman D. Jackson, St. Louis, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Hutson Sr., Granite City.

The maid of honor was Christine Rudebeck. Bridesmaids were Patricia Byrne, Amy Jackson and Mary Jackson, all sisters of the bride, and Elizabeth Keller and Carol Chase, both sisters of the groom.

The best man was Jerry Bowen. Groomsmen were Robert Hutson, a brother of the groom; Mark Childers, John Shields, a brother of the bride; Jim Byrne, a brother-in-law of the bride; and Jeff Chase, a brother-in-law of the groom.

The flower girl was Christina Keller, a niece of the groom, and the ringbearer was Jimmy Byrne, a nephew of the bride.

Ushers were Robert Hutson, a brother of the groom, and John Shields, a brother of the bride.

A reception was held at St. Jude's Hall, St. Louis. After a wedding trip to Cancun, Mexico, the couple are residing in St. Louis.

The bride is a 1984 graduate of Rosary High School, St. Louis, and is employed by Garrison-Wagner Co., St. Louis, as an accounting secretary.

The groom is a 1981 graduate of Granite City High School, North and is employed by the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis as a bank clerk.

Maryville Cub pack meets

Cubmaster Bob Sandor brought the November pack meeting to order at Maryville School.

A uniform inspection was conducted.

It was announced that a candy sale was being planned for the pack.

Den 2 performed ceremonies; Den 3, a skit; and Den 5, a song.

Awards were presented to the boys by assistant Cubmaster Dave Duffield as follows:

Bob Cat: Eric Burke, Nathan Monroe, Philip Meyer, Michael Norton, Scott Jackson, Frankie Parton, David Whittington, Matt Neal, Chris Westbrook and Billy Nopel.

Bear: Ted Hall, Joe Humphreys, Billy Norton and Steven Sanders.

Webelos: James Moulton, citizen-sportsman; Steve Geske, citizen; Matt Little, Sportsman; David Lange, sportsman-athlete; Aaron Burke, citizen-sportsman; Nick Novacich, sportsman; Mark Mitchell, citizen; and Jason Stagner, citizen.

Arrow Points: Joe Humphreys, one gold; Billy Norton, one gold and three silver; and Jarrod Duffield, one gold and four silver.

Physical Fitness Belt Loop: Michael Norton, Jeff Wallace, Philip Meyer, Chris Westbrook, Aaron Burke, Eric Burke, Gary Kiselka, Scott Jackson, Michael Springs, Jason Fowler, Brian Millsap, Matt Bilyeu, Justin Bettorf, Brad Payne, Matt Neal, Dustin Brewer, Matt Foley, Nathan Monroe, Frankie Parton, Bobby Ahl, Mike McCleary, Billy Pope, David Rudolph, Billy Niepert, Mark Mitchell, Kirk Brumley, John Fronbarger, Jeremy Ellis, David Whittington, Mark Quigly and Jim Issac.

*Sports letters and pins: David



Knights of Columbus

RITA BLUM, left, accepts a check for Phoenix Crisis Center from Betty Gac, treasurer of K of C Council 1098 Ladies Auxiliary. The money was raised through a benefit style show.

Coterie hosts yule party

The Ladies Coterie Christmas party was held at the Central Christian Church on Dec. 3 with a noon luncheon. Ida Cariss, Virginia John and Bess Henley were in charge of the event. Millie Meek gave the invocation.

President Kathleen Offt welcomed members and then conducted the business segment.

A donation was made to the "Mobile Meals Program" and to the Salvation Army's "Tree of Lights."

Birthday honors were accorded to Ruth Moore, Anka Filcoff, Arline Fox, Wilma Eddington, Marie Gordon, Lida Theis and Ethel Beeler. Virginia John and Bess Henley conducted the gift exchange.

Anka Filcoff, program chairman, introduced Mark Sarich, Granite City, a graduate student at Southern Illinois University at

Edwardsville who is working on his master's degree in music education. He is a teaching assistant in music history at the university. He is a student of Linda Perry on the piano and harpsichord.

He played two piano solos: "Invitation to a Dance" by Karl M. Von Weber and Chopin's "Sonata in D Flat," and Filcoff played a violin selection, Schubert's "Ave Maria."

The program concluded with the group singing Christmas carols accompanied by Kathleen Offt.

Others present were Joyce Albers, Mark Bilyeu, Edna Cooley, Viola Edwards, Helen Friedman, Harriet Horn, Donna Kagy, Gladys Pape, Loretta Reiske, Shirley Schwendemann, Helen Stoeber and Ella Wade.

Surprise dinner for Beta Gamma

A Thanksgiving observance was hosted by Roberta Crawford for members of Preceptor Beta Gamma Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi.

Before dinner, the hostess gave the cultural program with history and poetic readings about the traditions of Thanksgiving. Carolyn Walsh, speaking for the chapter, thanked Crawford for arranging the surprise event.

Reports were given by Treasurer Linda Koenig and Secretary Betty Beck. Beck also reported a request was received from the Beta Sigma Phi International office for the status of nonparticipating members.

Marilyn Lumpkins, who attended the Sorority City Council meeting in November, gave a report and said the next meeting will be in February. She reminded members of the service project, ringing bells for the Salvation Army.

The chapter will continue to take orders for knives, a ways

and means project, after the holidays and next year, President Carol Cathey reported.

Vice President Vickie Barth, membership chairman, said guests may be invited to the next meeting at the Cathey home.

The "Bridges of Friendship" theme basket was won by B.J. Jongs.

Third child arrives for Dave Gensert

Edward Paul Gensert is the name selected by Mr. and Mrs. Dave (Mary Ann) Gensert, 5 Blue Spruce Court, for their son born Nov. 21.

The baby weighed 8 pounds, 1 ounce, and was born at St. Mary's Health Center, Richmond Heights. He has a 5-year-old brother, Jay, and a 3-year-old sister, Melanie.

The grandmother, Catherine Abramovich, resides in Granite City.

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In the same circular, we advertised a Casio PT-100 keyboard on sale for \$44.99 on page 10. Due to manufacturer's inability to ship, there will be limited quantities available. Rain checks will be issued, but not guaranteed to be filled before Christmas.

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OFFICER FRIENDLY Curt Walkenbach, Granite City Police Department, answers questions from Marshall Elementary School pupils.

Policeman addresses pupils

GRANITE CITY — Officer Friendly Curt Walkenbach, Granite City Police Department, presented two safety assemblies Nov. 10 at Marshall School.

Walkenbach talked with kindergarten through third-grade students and then fourth through sixth grade students.

He defined and gave examples of battery, theft and vandalism, as well as explaining the law involving each offense. His examples were varied, covering school and home situations. He also related adult case examples he has experienced.

Walkenbach stressed that having a good and positive attitude, respecting other people and telling the truth are important in life. He encouraged the children to set high goals and standards for themselves.

Following his presentation, Walkenbach answered questions from the children.

At the conclusion of the second assembly, Walkenbach asked for a student volunteer and demonstrated the method used to frisk and handcuff a suspect. He showed that handcuffs were made to protect people from hurting others.

After both assemblies, Walkenbach gave each child a blue and silver Granite City Police Department junior police sticker badge. He told the pupils that policemen would not hurt them, but help them.

On Nov. 13, Walkenbach visited the sixth grade classrooms of Robert Anderson and Mary Ann Timan at Marshall School. Students from Mary Osterholt's and Ron Goldsmith's special education classes were also included.

Using the "Drugs of Abuse" chart throughout his discussions, Walkenbach talked about depressants, hallucinogens, stimulants, marijuana and narcotics. The

theme of his message was the effects of illegal drug usage.

Walkenbach gave a description of the drugs, described how they act on users, related examples of detrimental effects of the drugs and explained reasons why people should not take abusive drugs.

"The time to say 'no' is now," Walkenbach said. "You can be cool and not be on drugs. I want you to decide today, right now, that you're not going to do drugs."

Walkenbach gave each student a ruler with the inscription "Say No to Drugs."

Walkenbach was a special guest at the school's Thanksgiving dinner celebration Nov. 18. Principal Goni Michaeloff said, "He ate with the children and also went out to the playgrounds to visit and talk with them. He is very popular with the children."

14 nurse assistants graduate at Venice

Graduation exercises for 14 nurse assistant students completing the full course at Venice-Lincoln Technical Center were held Dec. 1.

The ceremonies took place at the technical center and welcoming remarks were offered by Peter Ponce, VLT director.

Deacon Julius Johnson from New Salem Baptist Church, Venice, gave the invocation and the benediction. Two representatives of the Gideon Society presented each graduate with a white Bible.

Receiving a pin and a special certificate was graduate Marta Mendoza, who recorded perfect attendance during the 12-week course.

Superintendent-elect Charles McCaskill of the Venice School District presented Illinois state nurse assistant certificates to the following graduates:

Viola Bean, Geraldine Brewer, Karen Cripps, Carol Fish, Levara Holman, Lucille Howard, Veronica Howard, Gwendolyn Johnson, Maria Mendoza, Lou Alice Monroe, Marilyn Norton, Ruth Roland, Lynnetta Sproff and Betty Williams.

Venice-Lincoln Technical Center, an adult education and vocational school located on South Fourth Street, Venice, is administered by the Venice School District but financed with federal and state funds.

The nurse assistant training program is offered by the school without charge, together with other vocational courses and General Education Development classes.

Persons residing in the Quad-City Area are invited to call 874-7782 Monday through Friday for further information about courses and enrollment dates.

Help children cope with fear

Nightmares, the first day of school, and the thought of losing a parent are three common childhood fears.

Everyone encounters a variety of frightening experiences, but children are more vulnerable to being afraid because they don't know what to expect, according to an article in the December/January issue of PTA Today.

"The most enduring and common fear of children at any age is the loss of a parent," said Mary Renck Jalongo, a professor of education, writing in the National Parent-Teacher Association's magazine, *Infants and Toddlers*. Infants and toddlers often express this fear through tears and loud protests during even a brief separation, she said. However, older children most often fear loss of a parent through death or divorce.

The article suggests that parents try to recognize the differ-

ences between normal fears, those that are imaginary, and phobias.

Phobias are illogical fears that are extremely intense and enduring, according to Jalongo. The difference between a phobia and a childhood fear is that a childhood fear disappears or is greatly reduced over time, whereas a phobia usually persists despite considerable efforts to overcome it, she explained.

Jalongo also believes that most imaginary fears of early childhood are outgrown with the support of perceptive, understanding adults.

Imaginary fears happen a great deal during the preschool years and are usually in the form of a dream or nightmare. The article suggests that parents talk with children about their dreams and accept their feelings as authentic, no matter how

implausible the situation might be. The adult should then deal with the fear in a way that makes sense to children.

The author suggests that parents and teachers support children who are frightened, but stresses that eventually children must cope with their own fears. She offers several ways to help children conquer fears:

- Help children realize they don't have to be fearless in every situation. Teach them to recognize that bravery is not an all-or-nothing attribute.

- Avoid the sudden and unexpected. When possible, children should be prepared to face unavoidably frightening experiences.

- Allow children to proceed at their own pace in facing fears. Fears are best conquered in a gradual way that allows them to gain confidence.

Drug assemblies held at school

GRANITE CITY — Sharon McBrien, prevention specialist at Plaza Health Care, gave four assemblies Nov. 17 at Marshall Elementary School. She was assisted by Kim Clark.

They addressed the issue of substance abuse and taught the children skills for "saying no" to substances like alcohol and drugs.

Though the format of the program varied for each grade group, the presentations addressed similar information. Discussion centered around defining substances like drugs and alcohol, distinguishing between candy and medicine, discussing peer resistance and learning how to say no.

A feature of the program with fourth through sixth grade pupils was role playing. Students role played the different ways of how to say no, such as changing the subject, walking away and telling an adult.

With the primary grades, McBrien introduced the students to six puppets and dramatized one of five different stories the puppets tell about substance abuse. The story the children heard was "Let's Play Party," where one puppet, Myth Mary, wants to have alcohol. The discussion between the other puppets reveals why there shouldn't be alcohol at the party.

At the conclusion of each assembly, each child received a pencil with the inscription "Hugs Not Drugs," a blue and white sticker with "Just Say No" advice and a paper that listed all the "How to Say No" ways to offset peer pressure.

"We are particularly pleased that Marshall children could experience this program presented by Sharon McBrien and Kim Clark, two acclaimed prevention specialists," said Goni Michaeloff, Marshall principal.

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Governor working hard to land superconductor

By David Rocks
PRJ Washington bureau

WASHINGTON — Illinois has the world's most powerful particle accelerator in Batavia, but that does not give the state an unfair advantage in capturing a more lucrative scientific prize: the proposed \$4.4 billion atom smasher, Gov. James Thompson said Dec. 12.

The state's plan for winning the multistate competition calls for having some high-tech Fermilab machinery used in the superconducting super collider (SSC). The federal Department of Energy could save as much as \$500 million by putting the SSC in the state, according to some Illinois estimates.

Fermilab may provide Illinois an advantage in the department's selection process, some have claimed, but Thompson discounted that contention.

Thompson, in Washington to push Illinois as the site for the

SSC, cited a Department of Energy report that found Illinois proposed use of Fermilab's facilities would result in some savings. But the governor would not say exactly how much.

"I think the bottom line is that the other states ought to be at ease that Illinois is not at an extreme advantage with the presence of Fermilab," Thompson said. But he added, "It's not a disadvantage."

Illinois and 25 other states submitted a total of 36 proposals in September to the National Academy of Science and Engineers, which will recommend a "best-qualified" short list to the department by the end of January. Thompson aide Galen Resor said when the list is released "the gloves will come off," and states will begin last-ditch lobbying efforts to secure the project.

Illinois, California, Colorado, North Carolina, Ohio and Texas are considered top competitors.

The SSC is one of the most ambitious non-military science projects ever undertaken. In the underground tunnel, two beams of high-speed protons moving in opposite directions would be made to collide, creating conditions which would allow scientists to study the fundamental nature of matter and energy.

Thompson also said he would like to see the federal outlays for the SSC boosted to \$35 million this year, an amount he said would show a serious intention to complete the project. Critics of the massive project have said funding the collider could take money away from more urgently needed scientific endeavors.

"It's far from guaranteed," Thompson said. "It's a constant battle to keep this a priority for the nation." We've been fighting like the devil to move the appropriation from \$25 million to \$35 million — \$35 million represents a commitment.

Dixon bill would reduce need for foreign military hardware

By David Rocks
PRJ Washington bureau

WASHINGTON — Fearing shortages of military hardware in the event of war, Sen. Alan J. Dixon, D-Ill., has introduced a bill that would reduce U.S. dependence on foreign suppliers for defense needs.

"I think it's been an unsafe situation for a long time," Dixon, chairman of the armed services readiness subcommittee, said Dec. 14 at a press conference. "We are already unduly dependent for major portions of our defense needs due to deterioration of our defense industrial base."

Dixon's bill would encourage U.S. firms to produce "emerging technologies" and "critical items" by allowing the Defense Department to give preferential treatment to bids from American companies.

The measure calls for an undersecretary of defense to determine if an item is "critical" or if the technology in a weapons system "needs to be developed in this country. Items likely to be given such a designation include some semiconductors, new plastics that could be used in building planes, and spare parts for weapons and vehicles that cannot be substituted by American-manufactured parts," Dixon said.

The measure also would give technical assistance to U.S. companies seeking to market military hardware abroad, and would impose sanctions on foreign companies guilty of unfair trading practices.

Dixon said he does not want the measure to be seen as protectionist and said he rejected several earlier drafts of the

bill, because they "grounded too much like domestic content legislation."

"What we want to do is see if we can define this in the narrowest way possible so that we can protect the defense industrial base but still encourage competition," Dixon said.

Although no companion measure has been introduced in the House, Dixon said he may approach Illinois lawmakers who are members of the House Armed Services Committee, probably Rep. Lynn Martin, R-Backford, or Rep. Jack Davis, R-Joliet. He said he probably would not ask ex-chairman of the House Armed Services Committee, Mel Price, D-Bellville, because Price is retiring.

Dixon said he expects the Senate to begin hearings on the matter when senators return from the Christmas recess.

Bi-State zaps 'zap,' selects colorful stripe

By Roger McGrath
Staff affiliate

Bi-State buses will sport a new look next year: a red, orange and yellow stripe will wrap under the windows.

Members of the Bi-State Development Agency's transit committee, some of whom disliked the red-thunderbolt now stenciled on the sides of many of the agency's buses, endorsed the new color scheme Dec. 8.

The multicolored stripe beat out the same design entirely in red.

"Either of them is a big improvement over the 'zap' we now have," said Menlo F. Smith, transit committee chairman.

Raleigh D'Adamo, Bi-State executive director, reported the multicolored scheme had been endorsed by shop crews and executives who had worked on the project.

The new color scheme was selected now so Flibble Corp. can paint it on the 57 buses Bi-State has ordered. D'Adamo said. The buses will arrive in St. Louis beginning in May.

Forty over-the-road buses due to arrive this summer also will

carry the new paint scheme. The coach-buses will be used on longer express routes.

"With new buses, we should do the best we can to make them attractive, more contemporary and high-tech," Smith said.

First to get the new trimmings, though, will be some buses still wearing the older blue-green striping. Bi-State personnel will repaint those as well as the buses carrying the "zap" thunderbolt design.

D'Adamo also told the transit committee that the material and coloring on the seats in the over-the-road buses also would be used on the seat covers in the city buses.

In other action, the committee authorized the purchase of three utility trucks from John Novotny Chevrolet, Granite City, at a total price not to exceed \$68,974.

The trucks will replace those now used by crews that maintain bus shelters, said Paul J. Ballard, deputy executive director.

Bi-State expects the trucks to last 10 years, Ballard said.

Henkhaus heads state association

Madison County Treasurer Michael S. "Mick" Henkhaus was elected president of the Illinois County Treasurers' Association at the annual fall conference held Nov. 24 in Chicago.

It has a statewide membership of current and former treasurers, collectors and deputy treasurers who meet regularly to exchange ideas and experiences related to their offices. Discussions often deal with present and proposed legislation affecting taxpayers in the state.

Henkhaus additionally was selected as chairman of the awards committee for the International Association of Clerks, Records, Election Officials and Treasurers. This is a new committee created to select and recognize individual counties which develop innovations leading to higher productivity and improved service to the public.

The committee will also administer a national award recognizing outstanding community service.

Henkhaus has been employed in the county government for 23 years, the last nine years as Madison County treasurer.

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DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES ABOUT SIN?

- 1) Sin is committed (1 John 3:4) not transmitted (Ezek. 18:20).
- 2) Sin brings forth (Spiritual) death (James 1:14-15; Rom. 6:23).
- 3) Sin can be forgiven (Acts 3:19; 1 John 1:7).

DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES ABOUT SALVATION?

- 1) Salvation is made possible by Jesus Christ (Matt. 1:21).
- 2) Salvation is IN Christ (2 Tim. 2:10).
- 3) Salvation comes AFTER we obey Christ (Heb. 5:8-9).
- 4) Salvation means church membership (Acts 2:47).

DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES ABOUT THE CHURCH?

- 1) Jesus Christ established the church (Matt. 16:18; Psal. 127:1).
- 2) Jesus Christ purchased the church with His own blood (Acts 20:28).
- 3) Jesus Christ is HEAD of the church (Col. 1:18; Eph. 1:22-23).
- 4) Jesus Christ is the FOUNDATION of the church (1 Cor. 3:11).
- 5) Jesus Christ is the SAVIOUR of the church (Eph. 5:23).

DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE BIBLE TEACHES ABOUT BAPTISM?

- 1) Baptism is a BURIAL (Rom. 6:4; Col. 2:12).
- 2) Baptism is FOR the remission of sins (Acts 2:38).
- 3) Baptism is to get INTO Christ (Gal. 3:27; Rom. 6:3).
- 4) Baptism is in order to be SAVED (Mk. 16:16).
- 5) Baptism has been COMMANDED by the Lord (Acts 10:48).

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Bi-State panel suggests speedier light rail funding

By Roger McGrath
Staff affiliate

In an effort to speed up receipt in the future of construction funds for MetroLink, the proposed light rail system, a Bi-State Development Agency committee has recommended that the agency authorize officials working on the project to request up to \$95 million in federal funds.

Bi-State is overseeing construction of the \$250 million, 18-mile system linking East St. Louis and Lambert-St. Louis

International Airport. The recommendation, which must be approved Dec. 18 by Bi-State's full board of commissioners, was made Dec. 9 by Bi-State's light-rail committee.

By giving agency officials the \$95 million ceiling, they will be able to request the funds as they become available without coming back each time for approval by Bi-State commissioners, committee members said.

But even with the authorization, Bi-State officials will not be able to tap the funds until a full-funding agreement has been

signed between Bi-State and the Urban Mass Transit Administration, the federal agency that funnels the funds to local jurisdictions.

Negotiation of such an agreement now is under way.

Congress already has earmarked \$36 million for MetroLink and is expected this year to allocate between \$30 million and \$66 million, said Jim Brown, a Bi-State lobbyist. The exact amount will be set by a House-Senate conference committee, he said.

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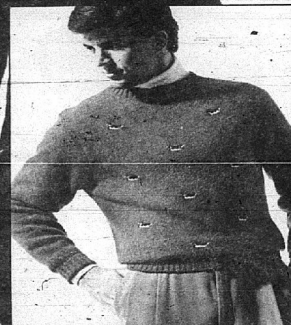
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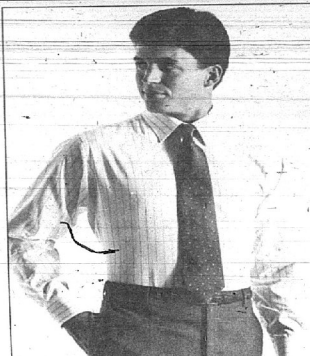
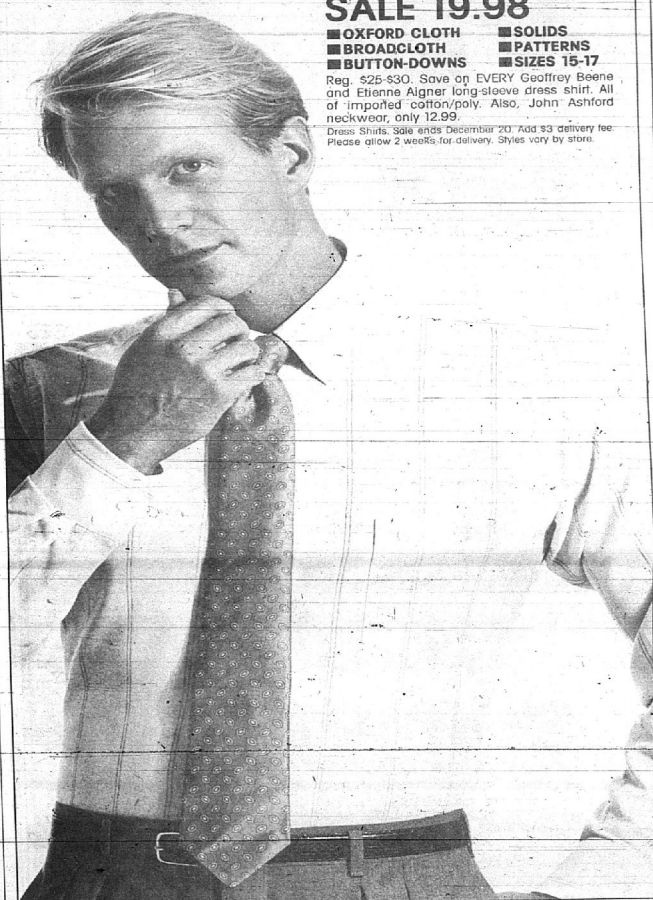
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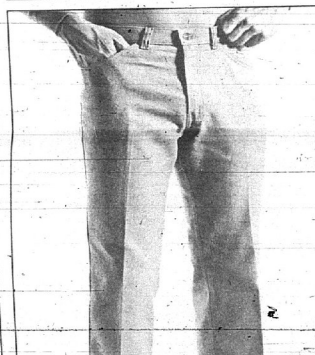
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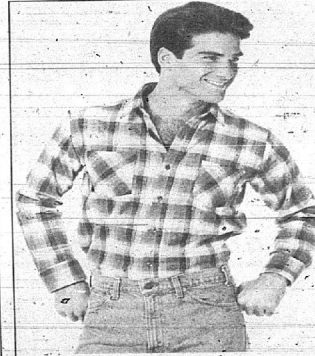
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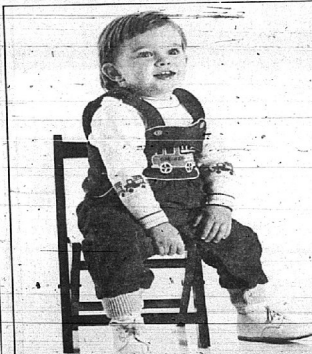
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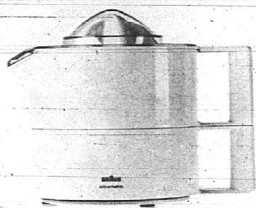
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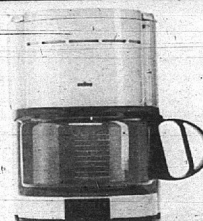
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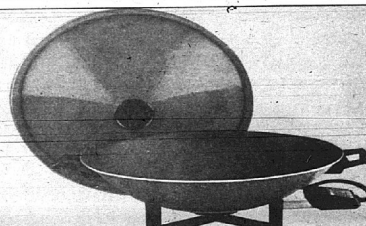
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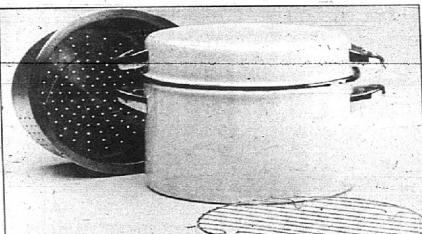
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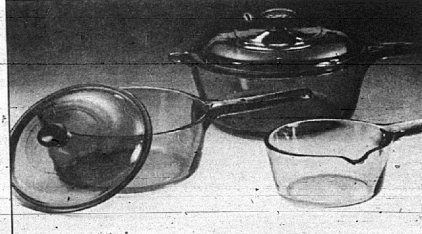
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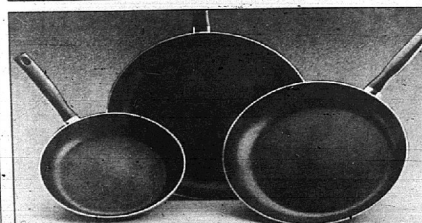
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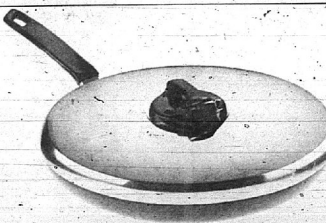
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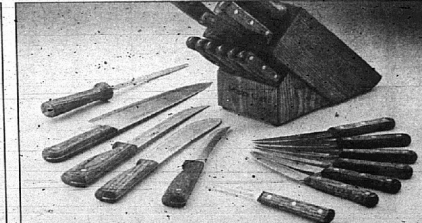
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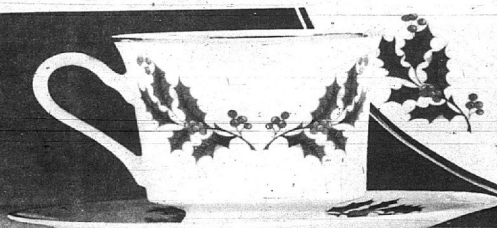
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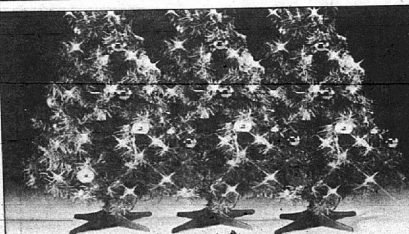
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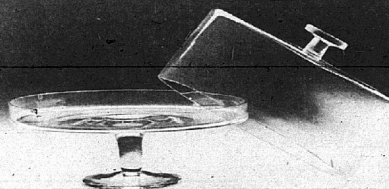
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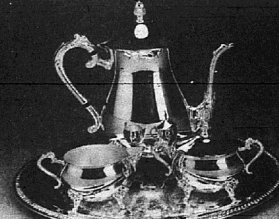
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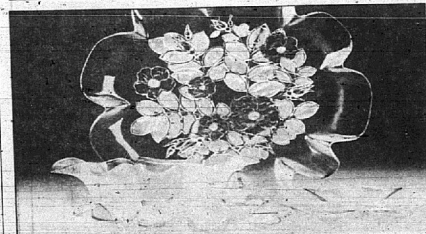
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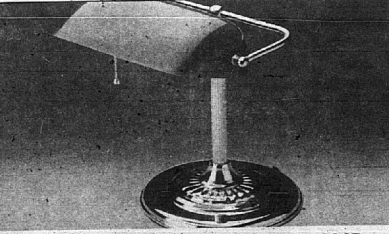
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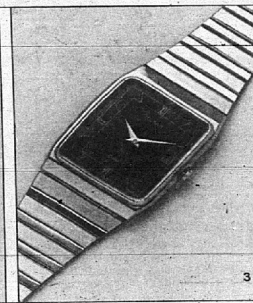
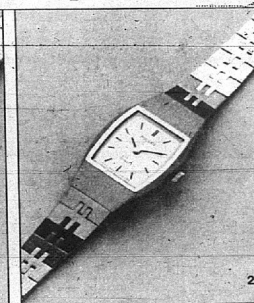
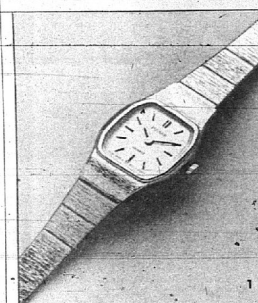
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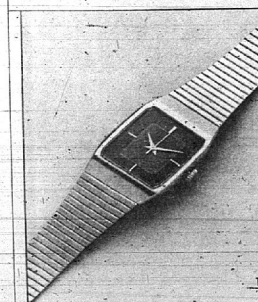
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Around the kitchen

Coconut snow dresses up cake complete with all the trimming

Make the holidays sparkle this season by staging a holiday encore that spotlights dazzling desserts.

Shakespeare, who affirmed "All the world is a stage," would certainly approve of two luscious desserts dressed in festive garb. Made with such quick-and-simple convenience products as non-dairy whipped topping, gelatin and coconut, the delicacies are so easy to design that children can get in on the merry-making.

Christmas Tree Cake is no ordinary cake. It carries a surprising mix of fun ingredients such as dried apricots, walnuts, flaked coconut and a dash of brandy. Once assembled, the tree-shaped cake is covered with a light and delicate blanket of snow in the form of non-dairy whipped topping. To add more glitter to this frosting, tint the coconut flakes a cool pine green.

Another stage-light dessert is brilliant Christmas Cranberry Mold. In this, three convenience products mix for zesty flavors and creamy orange highlights. Cranberry sauce, orange flavor gelatin and non-dairy whipped topping are theatrical picks for this mousse-like dessert. Make the mold extra-fancy by garnishing it with chocolate curls, cranberries, orange slices and mint leaves.

Christmas tree cake

- 1 pkg. (2 layer) yellow cake mix
- 3 eggs
- 3/4 cup water
- 1/2 cup brandy
- 1/2 cup oil
- 25 cups (7 oz.) flaked coconut
- 1 cup finely chopped walnuts
- 1 cup dried apricots, finely chopped
- 3/4 cups (1 1/2 oz.) frozen non-dairy whipped topping, thawed
- Green food coloring
- Red candied cherries
- Silver drages

Combine cake mix, eggs, water, brandy and oil in large bowl. Beat at medium speed of electric mixer 2 minutes. Stir in 1 cup coconut, walnuts and apricots.

Pour 4 1/2 cups batter into greased and floured 9-inch square baking pan. Bake cake at 350° for 25 to 30 minutes or until cake tester inserted in center comes out clean.

Remaining batter will make about 10 cupcakes. Bake 20 minutes. Cool cake in pan 10 minutes. Remove from pan. Cool on rack. Cut cake. Use triangular cuts to fill in trunk. For ease in cutting, first measure and mark distances with wooden picks,

then cut between picks with sharp knife. Arrange pieces on large tray, cutting board, baking sheet or foil-covered cardboard.

Place small amount of whipped topping between cake pieces to hold them in place. Frost cake to give appearance of single piece of cake. Round off corners for better appearance. Tint remaining coconut with green food coloring. Use to sprinkle over cake. Garnish with candied cherries and drages.

Christmas cranberry mold

- 1 pkg. (4 serving size) orange gelatin
- 1 cup boiling water
- 1 can (16 oz.) whole berry cranberry sauce
- 1 tsp. grated orange rind
- 3/4 cups (8 oz.) frozen non-dairy whipped topping, thawed

Dissolve gelatin in boiling water. Stir in cranberry sauce and orange rind. Chill until slightly thickened. Using wire whip, blend in whipped topping.

Pour into 6-cup mold. Chill until firm. Garnish and garnish with additional whipped topping, cranberries and orange slices, if desired. Makes 5 1/2 cups or 10 servings.

Yuletide scents make lots of sense when saving cents

By Kathy Hanewinkel
Certified home economist

To dry 1 cup of pine needles in a microwave use several layers of white paper toweling and 3/4 cup water.

Remove off the pine needles and pat dry. Spread out on paper towels, taking care that the needles are not heated, but are spread very thinly and evenly. More than one layer of pine needles can be put on paper towels. Place pine needles and paper-toweling in the microwave.

In a separate glass measure, place 3/4 cup water next to the paper towels. Microwave on high power 3 to 4 minutes, rearranging the needles after 2 minutes. Needles are dry when they are rather brittle looking but not brown.

Store in a covered container with a few drops of pine scented oil, if desired. Pine and other scented oils are available at

craft and hobby stores.

Drying pine needles, cones, leaves and flowers that are used for decorating is a good idea because it helps rid the matter of unwanted critters. Pine cones can be dried in a microwave also. To dry pine cones, flowers and the like use silica gel which is available at craft and hobby stores or the nonchlorophyll type left litter, along with one cup water.

Water is a necessary part of the drying procedure in a microwave because it dries overheat from the lack of moisture in the needles, cones or flowers.

One medium-to-large pine cone or two or so small ones can be dried at a time. Place a small amount of silica gel in the bottom of a high-sided microwave-safe bowl. Set in the pine cones and cover with silica gel, making certain the silica gel is poured into all the nooks and crannies of the cone. This aids in

even and quicker drying.

Set the bowl and the water container in microwave. Set on high power for 3 to 5 minutes.

Allow the cones to cool about 10 minutes, before removing from the silica gel, then brush away all excess silica gel with a soft artist's brush.

Holiday potpourri

- 1 cup dried pine needles
- 1 medium or several small pine cones
- 1 tsp. whole allspice
- 1 tsp. whole cloves
- 1 tsp. juniper berries
- Few drops pine-scented oil

Combine pine needles, pine cones, allspice, cloves, juniper berries and oil in a covered container. Allow the ingredients to age 2 to 4 weeks, giving the container a shake every few days.

Lettuce supplies soon to be back to normal

By Janice Denham
Food editor

Shoppers who crossed green salad off their menus on the last holiday may see a little abatement in the high prices and short supply toward the end of the month.

"We have a real bonafide problem with the shortage," Wade Whitfield, president of the California Iceberg Lettuce Commission, said Friday. "By the end of the month we should be back to normal supplies. There will be little change for two weeks."

"We have 40 percent below what would be normal going out every day. More than enough was planted. Shippers usually have more lettuce than they can sell and the farmers usually plow it under."

But this fall a combination of weather factors and a disease transmitted by white flies has sent supplies plummeting and prices soaring for the look-alike airy heads that are coming to the market. Thanksgiving shoppers found prices doubled almost overnight, with a limit of two heads in many stores.

Over the last two weeks prices in the supermarket have not stabilized and the light heads are starting to be replaced by fuller heads.

Whitfield said the culprit for the short supply is called "yellow disease," which is caused by a fly almost microscopic in size. The lettuce, which takes 110 days from seed to harvest, is one of the fruits and vegetables this little insect likes. It is growing in the lettuce, sucking out juices and keeps the lettuce from becoming a head. If it does form a head it is misshapen and yellow.

How much of a field is infected depends on what is planted nearby. The little insects like melons and cotton, but detest broccoli and cauliflower. The

only recourse for the farmer is to plow under infected fields.

As if that wasn't enough problem for one season, the rain in this desert Southwest region was warm, which speeds up the growing process so that the heads do not grow tightly. When the reality of the insect problem became apparent, some growers probably also moved into the field to pick a few days early, said Whitfield, which resulted in even more airy heads.

Whitfield noted that 15 to 20 years ago the insect problem probably would have been eradicated by use of insecticide. However, California laws now are stricter and the greater stringency over what types of insecticides may be used and when they can be applied made fighting the infection more difficult for farmers.

This is not the first time farmers in this area have seen the little pest. Its population was enhanced last year because of a mild winter. Even though a field is plowed under, the insect has had time to leave its eggs in a nearby field on other host plants. Sally Bruns, consumer specialist with National Super Markets, noted that the entire country is testing the pinch with the head lettuce, so that it is not an isolated situation for the Midwest. There is pressure of supplying the United States, as well as foreign countries.

Chuck Duquette, produce vice president at Schnucks, said the situation is not as critical with the leaf lettuce, although its quality has been impacted. He noted that the problem possibly continuing throughout the winter, with some real relief coming as late as March.

He noted that although there is testing of iceberg head lettuce under way in Chile, there is no other source for the product. Spain grows lettuce, which sells for about \$2 a head but does not export it.

Winter squash proves as tasty despite unusual shape, color

With its unusual shapes and colors and its somewhat intimidating hard skin, winter squash has never enjoyed the widespread popularity of the summer varieties.

Yet winter squash, including acorn, butternut, chayote, Hubbard, turban and spaghetti squash, are a specialty of the season which is an exceptional source of beta-carotene, a nutrient which is converted into vitamin A in the body.

Winter squash has other advantages, too. It can be kept up to two months in the refrigerator or other cool, dry, dark place. Its outer skin retains its shape after cooking, and the inside texture does not turn mushy if it is left on the stove a bit too long.

When selecting winter squash,

look for those with hard, thick rinds that feel heavy for their size. Avoid winter squash with tender skin, which indicates it is immature, and those with soft spots, which usually hide a rotted spot below the surface.

A favorite method for preparing squash is to bake it and mash it with butter. A nutritious way to prepare winter squash is to slice it in half, scoop out the seeds and tough fibers, sprinkle with nutmeg, cinnamon or cloves and a bit of brown sugar or honey. Bake it about an hour at 350°.

There are many ways to fix winter squash. Orange juice and cinnamon add special sweetness to this simple-to-prepare dish.

Acorn squash a l'orange

- 2 medium acorn squash
- 1/2 cup orange juice
- 1/2 tsp. cinnamon

Slice squash in half lengthwise. Scoop out seeds and stringy portion. Place squash on cookie sheet or baking pan with cut sides down. Bake at 375° for 20 minutes.

Remove squash from oven and turn it so its cut side faces up. Pierce the hollowed out part with fork in several spots. Add 2 tablespoons orange juice and 1/2 teaspoon cinnamon to each squash half, sprinkling some on upper cut surface and remainder in scooped-out cup. Return squash to oven. Bake 30 to 40 minutes longer.

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There is absolutely nothing wrong with tuna fish or peanut butter-and-jelly sandwiches. They can be wholesome sources of protein and other important

nutrients. Since 50 percent of the sandwich is the bread, however, it is best to use a whole grain bread for added vitamins, minerals and fiber. For variety, try mixing carrots and raisins into the peanut butter spread or prepare the peanut butter stuffed into an apple or celery sticks.

Other non-sandwich ideas include cottage cheese or cheese spread in celery sticks or

cucumber boats, tuna salad wrapped in a lettuce leaf, or chicken drumsticks. As the weather cools, send along a thermos full of vegetable soup, chili or stew.

Every lunch should include a fruit or vegetable. Carrot sticks, green pepper strips, cucumber slices and cherry tomatoes are good vegetable choices. Apples, oranges and bananas are fine,

but add variety with seedless grapes, peaches, cubed watermelon, pineapple chunks and dried fruit.

For a treat, pack raisins, popcorn, yogurt, cheese and crackers or fig bars.

A bean sandwich may sound a little strange at first, but this delicious spread is nutritious and low in fat.



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Fancy bread gifts are as easy as bonus ingredients with mix

Everyone has a few individuals on the Christmas list for whom shopping is difficult. Instead of spending hours wandering a shopping mall for a gift for elderly relatives, young singles, working or new moms, consider giving a gift from the kitchen.

It is not necessary to spend hours preparing goodies when a quick bread mixes offers an excellent shortcut. By using a mix as the basis for Festive Fruit and Nut Ring, the end product looks and tastes like a whole day was spent measuring and mixing.

Festive Fruit and Nut Ring makes a perfect gift for anyone who has little time for holiday baking. The molded bread is easy on the cook, too.

Just add macadamia nuts, lime peel, crushed pineapple, oil, eggs and water to a date quick bread mix. After baking, top the bread with a glaze and garnish with candied cherries for a festive holiday look.

If the gift should be more complete, accompany the bread with a pineapple butter spread. For a special touch, pack the pineapple butter in a colorful holiday cellophane loosely wrap the bread in a holiday-themed kitchen or hand towel. The gift is tasty as well as useful.

Festive fruit and nut ring

1 pkg. (17-oz.) date quick bread mix

- 1/2 cup chopped macadamia nuts
- 2 tsp. grated lime peel
- 1/2 cup water
- 1/2 cup crushed pineapple, well drained
- 2 tbsp. oil
- 1 egg
- 1/2 cup sifted confectioner's sugar
- 1 tsp. lime juice
- 1 candied cherry
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened

Grease and flour 6 1/2-cup metal ring mold, 8-by-4 inch or 9-by-5 inch loaf pan. In large bowl, combine bread mix, nuts, lime peel, water, 1/2 cup crushed pineapple, oil and egg. Stir 50 to 75 strokes with spoon until dry particles are moistened.

Pour into prepared pan. Bake at 350° for 25 to 40 minutes or until toothpick inserted in center comes out clean. The time range is due to variability in ring molds.

Cool upright in mold on wire rack 15 minutes. Invert. Remove mold. Cool completely.

In small bowl, blend confectioner's sugar and lime juice. Add additional lime juice one drop at a time if needed for proper consistency. Spoon over bread ring. Garnish with candied cherries.

In another small bowl, whip butter and 1/2 cup crushed pineapple. Serve with bread. Wrap and refrigerate leftover bread. Makes 12 servings.



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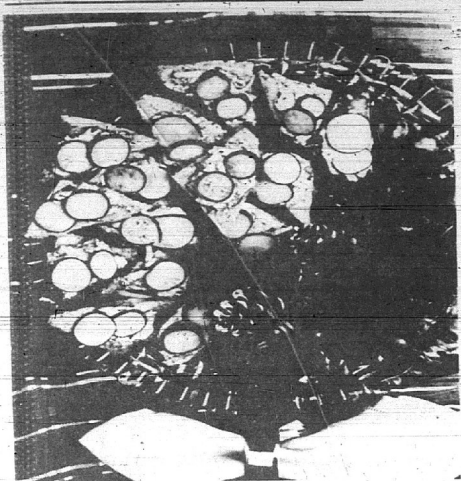
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Hors d'oeuvre tray supplies guests with festive nutrition

The holiday party season can present a challenge to good nutrition. However, hors d'oeuvres prepared with a little imagination can be festive, delicious and nutritious.

The high fat content of sour cream, high-fat cheeses and cold cuts is often the culprit in bad nutrition at party time. However, substitutes for sour cream—such as low-fat yogurt and low-fat cottage cheese—still can yield delicious dips and sauces. Try substituting low-fat cheeses made with skim milk, and lower fat meats, like chicken, turkey or fish on party trays.

When serving dips or spreads, substitutes for high-fat chips include Middle Eastern pita pocket bread, Scandinavian flatbreads or Italian breadsticks. Vegetables, either raw or cooked and then chilled, can be arranged to make colorful platters of nutritionally sound party delights.

A vegetable like spinach actually is a bonus with low-fat dairy

products when combined in a creamy dip. Radish Triangles are a colorful treat on an appetizer table. The attractively radish topping combines with horseradish to provide a tasty bite in flavor.

Spinach dip

- 1 1/2 cups fresh spinach or 1/2 cup frozen spinach, thawed, chopped
- 1 or 2 scallions, chopped
- 1 cup low-fat cottage cheese
- 1 cup plain low-fat yogurt
- 2 tsp. lemon juice (or to taste)
- Freshly ground pepper

Combine spinach, scallion, cottage cheese, yogurt, lemon juice and pepper, preferably in blender or food processor. Chill at least 30 minutes to blend flavors. Adjust flavor with lemon juice and pepper.

Serve with almost any raw vegetable, or with breadsticks or low-fat crackers. Yields about 1 cup.

Judging cookie contests tasty, provides winning recipes

By Janice Denham
Food editor

Judging a cookie contest is hard work.

Everyone has a favorite cookie he or she likes to eat. But after about the 15th taste of a different cookie in 20 minutes, the body requires a judge to get down seriously to business and start picking favorites.

Those of us who work in or around the food business occasionally bite the butter-brickie and proclaim, waving a snicker-doodle in one hand and a caramel turtle in the other, which cookie reigns supreme on a certain day.

Cookie contests held by employees of hospitals are always fun. The staff dietitians and nutritionists usually do not participate.

Usually all the recipes are typed and distributed to the staff so that everyone has an opportunity to decide on his own whose cookie should have won. The recipes also show a lot of background, from the guys in pharmacy who describe their reasoning pinches like an exacting science, to the seasoned bakers

who do their baking for the grandchildren in big batches between their full-time jobs.

A seasonal contest at Cardinal Glennon Children's Hospital ran true to form this year. The winners were as varied as the colorful lights on a Christmas tree and the entries were as delightful as the season itself.

The top winner was a melt-in-the-mouth favorite from Donna Plumley of the Glennon Call Center. It is a variation of pecan balls, with the surprise being half a maraschino cherry in the center of a rich dough that is rolled in confectioner's sugar. The subtitle on this recipe is Guess Who Lost His Nose in a Blizzard. Her award was a plaque and a holiday food platter from the dietary department at the hospital.

The second place defied tradition. It went for a cookie with apricot preserves, which may prove that hospital personnel have well-rounded diets since they like the flavor of a variety of fruit. Diane Fendya of nursing administration won for Apricot Nests. These make an attractive cookie on a tray. Be sure to let the preserves set since they are

not baked into the dough.

No less than third is a chocolate cookie. Submitted by Marilyn L. Horst of social service, Scot Bars are a very rich morsel that does not require baking. Each of the layers is melted in a microwave oven, then cooled, and cut into squares when they are ready for eating or storing.

Surprise snowballs (Guess who lost his nose in a blizzard)

- 1 cup butter or margarine, softened
- 1/2 cup confectioner's sugar
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- 2 1/2 cups flour
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1 cup finely chopped nuts
- Maraschino cherries

Cream butter, sugar and vanilla until mixed thoroughly. Work in flour, salt and nuts until dough holds together.

Form 1 1/2-inch ball of dough around half a maraschino cherry.

Bake at 400° for 10 to 12 minutes on ungreased cookie sheet. While warm, roll in confection-

er's sugar.

Cool. Roll in sugar again. Makes about 4 dozen cookies.

Apricot nests

- 1 cup flour
- 1/2 tsp. salt
- 1/2 cup butter
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg, separated
- 1 tsp. vanilla
- Coarsely chopped nuts (almonds, walnuts, pecans) or coconut
- Apricot preserves

Sift together flour and salt. In separate bowl cream butter and sugar until light and fluffy. Beat in egg yolk and vanilla. Stir in sifted dry ingredients. Beat until smooth.

Shape into 3 dozen small balls. Dip ball in slightly beaten egg white. Roll into coarsely chopped nuts or coconut.

Place balls 2 inches apart on lightly greased cookie sheet. Make deep dent in center of each ball with thumb or thimble.

Bake in 300° oven 30 minutes. Cool. When cool, spoon 1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon apricot preserves into center of each. Let stand until preserves set.

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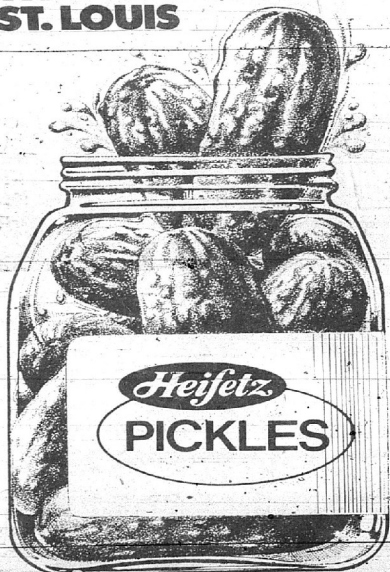
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Bask in glow of holidays past with new baking techniques

Special holiday treats do not require spending a lot of time in the kitchen.

Each of these tempting dishes serves well for last-minute holiday entertaining or as star attractions in a special menu. Each has cream cheese as its base. Light neufchatel cheese with 25 percent less fat and 20 percent fewer calories can be substituted in each of these recipes and will perform the same.

The Baked Cream Cheese Appetizer features cream cheese with dill, housed and baked in a delicate dough that is easy to prepare from refrigerated crescent rolls. Serve warm with crackers and fresh fruit slices for a unique start to a celebration.

The Festive Cranberry Torte takes the ordinary pound cake on holiday with layers of cranberry sauce and a cream cheese mixture which doubles as frosting. The torte is garnished with sprigs of mint and whole cranberries.

A holiday would not be a holiday without a cheesecake. Rum cheesecake is an elegant variation flavored with light rum and topped with chopped walnuts. Equally delightful are the no-bake recipes—Herb Cheese Spread and Raspberry Fudge Balls. Both provide a fast and easy respite from the heavy baking season.

In celebration of the holiday baking season, Philadelphia Brand cream cheese is offering a free cheesecake recipe booklet. For a copy of the booklet, send name, address and zip code to: "Philly" Tempting Cheesecake Recipes, P.O. Box 3598, Libertyville, Ill. 60198.

Rum cheesecake

- 1 cup graham cracker crumbs
- 1/2 cup finely chopped walnuts
- 1/2 cup margarine, melted
- 1 1/2 cups sugar
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 3 tbsp. flour
- 3 eggs
- 1 1/2 cups dairy sour cream
- 1/2 cup plus 1 tsp. light rum
- 1 tsp. vanilla

No need for magic wand when making baked goods

There is no miracle to making cakes, muffins and cookies efficiently at holiday time.

Here are a few tips:

•Color cookies with baking "paint" made from egg yolks. Mix one egg yolk and 1/2 teaspoon water. Divide mixture among several small custard cups. Tint each with a different food color. Before baking, paint designs on sugar cookies with small paint brushes.

•Make muffins for breakfast. With baking spray or paper muffin cups, plus a boxed mix, they can be made in minutes.

•Holiday cakes in festive shapes are easy to create using specially designed pans in the shapes of trees, bells, angels and Santas. Spray the pans with baking spray designed to eliminate greasing and flouring to make sure the cakes slip easily out of pans.

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Combine crumbs, walnuts, margarine, 3 tablespoons sugar and cinnamon. Press onto bottom of 3-inch springform pan. Bake at 325° for 10 minutes.

Combine cream cheese, 1/2 cup sugar, and flour, mixing until well blended. Add eggs, one at a time, mixing well after each addition. Blend in 1/2 cup sour cream, 1/2 cup rum and vanilla. Pour over crust. Bake at 450° for 10 minutes. Reduce temperature to 250°, continue baking 25 minutes.

Combine 1 1/2 cups sour cream, 2 tablespoons sugar and 1 teaspoon rum. Spread over cheesecake. Continue baking 10 minutes.

Loosen cake from rim of pan. Cool before removing rim of pan. Chill.

Garnish with chopped walnuts, if desired.
Makes 10 to 12 servings.

Festive cranberry torte

- 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1/2 cup whipping cream, whipped
- 1 (10 oz.) pkg. frozen cranberries with oranges
- 1 (10 1/2 oz.) frozen pound cake, thawed

Combine cream cheese and sugar, mixing until well blended. Fold in whipped cream.

Split cake horizontally into four layers. Spread bottom layer with half the cranberry-orange mixture and thin layer of cream cheese mixture. Top with second layer. Spread with all but 1 tablespoon of remaining cranberry-orange mixture and very thin coating of cream cheese mixture.

Cover with top cake layer. Spread remaining cream cheese mixture on top and sides of torte. Chill.

Garnish with remaining cranberry-orange sauce, whole cranberries and mint, if desired.
Makes 10 to 12 servings.

Baked cream cheese appetizer

- 1 1/2 (4 oz.) pkg. refrigerated crescent rolls
- 1/2 tsp. dill weed
- 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese
- 1 egg yolk, beaten

Unroll dough on lightly floured surface. Press together seams to form 12-by-4 inch rectangle. Sprinkle top of cream cheese with half the dill. Lightly press dill into cream cheese. Place cream cheese, dill-side down, in center of dough. Sprinkle cream cheese with remaining dill.

Enclose cream cheese in dough by bringing sides of dough together, pressing edges to seal. Place on lightly greased baking sheet. Brush with egg yolk. Bake at 350° for 15 to 18 minutes or until lightly browned.

Serve with crackers, French bread or fresh fruit slices.
Makes 4 servings.
Variation: Substitute combined 1/2 teaspoon dried rosemary leaves, crushed, and 1/2 teaspoon paprika for dill weed.

Raspberry fudge balls

- 1 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 1 (6 oz.) pkg. semi-sweet chocolate pieces, melted
- 1/2 cup vanilla wafer crumbs
- 1/2 cup raspberry preserves, strained
- 1/2 cup finely chopped almonds

Combine cream cheese and chocolate, mixing until well blended. Stir in crumbs and preserves. Chill.

Shape into 1-inch balls. Roll in almonds. Chill several hours or overnight.
Makes about 3 dozen.

Herb cheese spread

- 2 (8 oz.) pkg. cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup (1 oz.) grated parmesan cheese
- 2 tbsp. dry white wine
- 2 tbsp. finely chopped parsley
- 1 tbsp. chopped green onion
- 1 tsp. lemon juice
- 1 tsp. pepper

Combine cream cheese, parmesan cheese, wine, parsley, onion, lemon juice and pepper. Mix until well-blended. Chill.

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Over The Waves Peter Piper picks potato over peppers for microwave magic

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Better-baked potatoes are one of the many reasons microwave users turn on their ovens.

Because they are naturally moist, potatoes cook quickly with little preparation time. Simply pierce the skin of a potato to allow steam to escape. Otherwise, they may explode from a buildup of steam. Arrange the potatoes in a circle on a paper towel. Cook on high. One potato should take 4 to 5 minutes; then all two minutes for each additional potato.

Squeeze the potatoes gently to check for beginning tenderness. When the cooking time is completed, remove the potatoes from the oven, wrap them in foil and let stand 10 to 20 minutes to allow the cooking process to be completed.

Prepared mixes of pota-

toes—scaloped potatoes, potatoes au gratin and other varieties—have microwave directions on the package. These are excellent additions to a meal, and the directions are carefully written out to speed food preparation.

When looking for more ways to add variety to the menu, do not overlook sweet potatoes. They add vitamin A to a diet and color to the menu.

They can be baked in a similar way to the white potato, but because of the density of their texture, another quick technique is in order. As before, pierce the skin of the potato to allow steam to escape, but this time wrap the potato in plastic wrap to keep heat—and moisture—inside. Then proceed as with white potatoes. The steam held in by the plastic wrap will make a more pleasing texture for a cooked sweet potato.

This easy and delicious way to prepare potatoes will add a new taste to mealtime. It offers an opportunity to go from kitchen to table in less than 20 minutes.

Pronto potatoes

- 3 or 4 medium potatoes, sliced
- 1 medium onion, sliced
- Parmesan cheese
- Salt and pepper
- 1/2 cup butter or margarine
- Grated cheese
- Dairy sour cream

Layer potatoes, onions, generous sprinkles of salt, pepper and parmesan cheese in a microwave-safe, greased casserole dish. Dot with butter or margarine. Cook on high 12 to 15 minutes, until potatoes are tender. Sprinkle with grated cheese. Let stand 5 minutes. Top with sour cream before serving.



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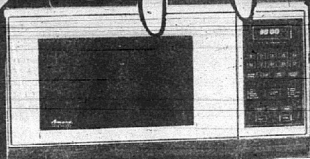
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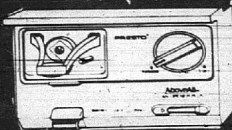
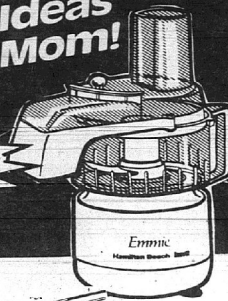
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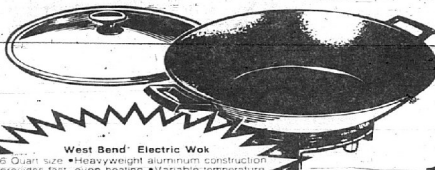
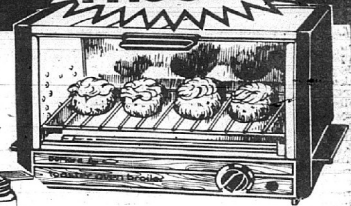
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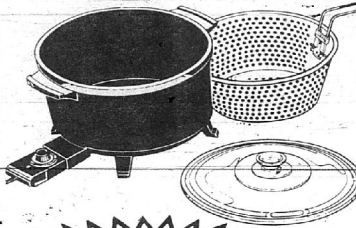
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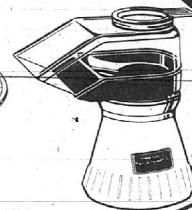
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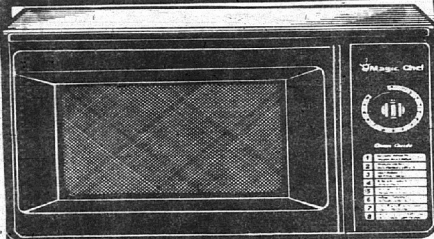
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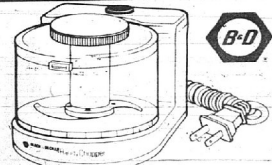
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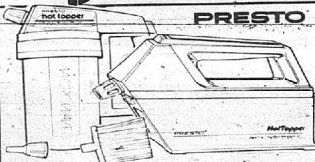
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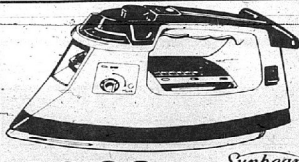
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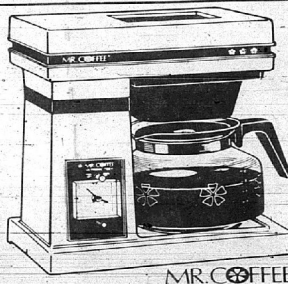
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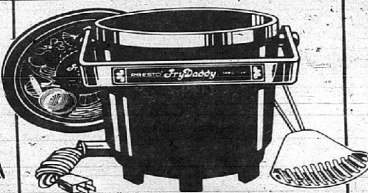
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Recipes

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Chinese fried sweet potatoes

- 2 medium sweet potatoes, peeled, cut in 1/2 inch slices
- 1/2 cup oil
- 1 tsp. cornstarch
- 1 tsp. ginger
- 1 tsp. dry mustard
- 1/2 cup water
- 1/2 cup corn syrup
- 1/2 cup frozen orange juice concentrate

In large skillet, heat oil over medium heat. Add potatoes, a few at a time. Fry, turning once, 5 minutes or until golden brown and tender. Drain on paper towels.

In 1-quart saucepan, mix cornstarch, ginger and mustard. Stir in water, corn syrup and orange juice. Concentrate until smooth. Stirring constantly, bring to boil over medium heat. Boil 1 minute. Toss with sweet potatoes. Serves 4.

Tasty taco pie

- 1 lb. ground beef
- 2 (8 oz.) cans tomato sauce
- 1 (1.25 oz.) pkg. taco seasoning mix
- 1 (8 oz.) can refrigerated crescent rolls
- 1/2 lb. pasteurized process cheese spread, plain or Mexican, cubed
- 1 cup shredded lettuce
- 1 cup chopped tomato
- 1 cup pitted ripe olive slices

Brown meat. Drain. Stir in tomato sauce and seasoning mix. Simmer 5 minutes.

Press dough on bottom and sides of ungreased 12-inch pizza pan, pressing edges together to form seal. Trick bottom and sides with fork. Bake at 375° for 10 to 12 minutes or until golden brown.

Cover with meat mixture. Top with process cheese spread. Con-

tinue baking until process cheese spread begins to melt.

Top with lettuce, tomatoes and olives. Serve with sour cream, if desired.

Makes 4 to 6 servings.

Microwave jam-topped Cheesecakes For Two

- 2 tbsp. butter or margarine, melted
- 1/2 cup graham cracker crumbs
- 1 pkg. (3 oz.) cream cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup sugar
- 1 egg
- 1 tsp. lemon juice
- Dash nutmeg
- 2 tbsp. jam or preserves, any flavor

In small bowl, combine butter and graham cracker crumbs. Press crumb mixture into bottom and up sides of each of two 6-ounce microwave-safe custard cups.

In small bowl, combine cream cheese, sugar, eggs, lemon juice and nutmeg. Pour cream cheese mixture into prepared custard cups. Heat, uncovered, on high 1 1/2 to 2 minutes or until center of each cheesecake is almost set, rotating cups once.

Cover loosely with plastic wrap. Refrigerate 30 minutes. Top cheesecakes with jam or preserves.

Makes 2 servings.

Oriental beef stir-fry

- 1 1/2 lb. beef sirloin steak, cut in thin strips
- 1/2 cup peanut or vegetable oil
- 1 clove garlic, minced
- 1 cup thinly sliced carrots
- 2 stalks celery, diagonally sliced
- 1 large green pepper, cut in 1/2 inch squares
- 1 zucchini, thinly sliced

Continue baking until process cheese spread begins to melt.

- 3 lb. fresh mushrooms, sliced, or 1 (4 oz.) can sliced mushrooms, drained
- 1 cup chicken broth
- 2 tbsp. soy sauce
- 1 1/2 tsp. cornstarch
- 3 cups hot cooked rice

Brown steak strips in hot oil in wok or large skillet over high heat. Push meat to side of pan.

Add garlic, carrots, celery, green pepper, zucchini and mushrooms. Stir-fry about 3 minutes. Push to side.

Combine broth, soy sauce and cornstarch. Add to pan. Cook until thickened.

Serve over fluffy rice.

Makes 6 servings; 431 calories, 30.4 gm. protein, 16 gm. fat, 25.5 gm. carbohydrate, 646 mg. sodium, 103 mg. cholesterol each.

Tip: Stir-frying requires constant attention, so don't attempt to do two things at once when preparing a stir-fry dish. Also, serve stir-fry food immediately to preserve its special character.

Thumbprint cookies

- 1 roll (17 oz.) refrigerated ready-to-bake sugar cookies
- Low sugar spreads, assorted flavors
- 6 tbsp. confectioner's sugar
- 1 tsp. milk

Cut chilled dough in slices about 1/2-inch thick. Place cookies about 2 inches apart on ungreased cookie sheets.

With thumb, make indentation in center of each cookie. Fill with about 1/2 teaspoon low sugar spread. Bake cookies at 350° for 8 to 10 minutes until golden.

Meanwhile, mix confectioner's

sugar and milk until well blended to make icing. Let cookies cool on sheets 2 minutes, then drizzle a little icing on each.

Remove to wire racks to cool completely, about 30 minutes. Makes about 3 dozen.

Apple streusel mince pie

- 1 (9 inch) unbaked pastry shell
- 3 apples, pared, thinly sliced
- 1/2 cup plus 3 tbsp. flour
- 2 tbsp. margarine or butter, melted
- 1 (28 oz.) jar mince meat
- 1/2 cup firmly packed light brown sugar
- 1 tsp. cinnamon
- 1 cup cold margarine or butter
- 1/2 cup chopped nuts

In large bowl, toss apples with 3 tablespoons flour and melted margarine. Arrange in pastry shell. Top with mince meat.

In medium bowl, combine 1/2 cup flour, sugar and cinnamon. Cut in cold margarine until crumbly. Stir in nuts. Sprinkle over mince meat.

Bake 10 minutes at 425° on rack placed in lower part of oven. Reduce oven temperature to 375°.

Bake 25 to 30 minutes longer or until golden.

Cool slightly. Serve warm. Garnish as desired.

Spicy banana bars

- 1/2 cup butter or margarine, softened

We're Sorry!

In this week's Christmas sale circular, we advertised radio controlled cars on page 19. The truck shown for \$14.97 is incorrect. We showed a tow truck. The actual truck on sale is a Ford Ranger pickup. The copy is correct.

In this same circular, we offered Head Zebco Tackle Totes on sale for 24.99, reg. 29.99 on page 29. Due to manufacturer's inability to ship, the spinning model will not be available. Sorry no rain checks will be given. The Spincast model is in stock.

Also on page 29, we advertised Rand deluxe 26" mens or womens 10 speed bicycle on sale for \$69.99, un assembled. Due to manufacturer's inability to ship, they will be unavailable. We will substitute a Roadmaster mens or womens 10 speed for \$79.99, un assembled. Sorry no rain checks.

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Area events can keep young ones occupied

If your little nippers want something to do during the early days of Christmas vacation, here are a few suggestions to help keep them out of the packages in the attic.

•The History Museum, in conjunction with the Magna Carta exhibit, will present a 30-minute drama, "Magna Carta to the U.S. Constitution: A Conversation" Wednesday through Friday (Dec. 16-18). Performances will be 10 and 11 a.m. daily. A 18th-century Bostonian woman and a 13th-century Englishman meet at the Magna Carta exhibit and discuss relationships between the two documents. The drama is best-suited for children in fifth through 12th grades. Admission is \$1 for ages 6 to 10, \$2 for senior adults and \$3 for everyone else.

•Pinechic comes to St. Louis Centre on Thursday (Dec. 17) to have breakfast with youngsters from 10 to 10:30 a.m. on the fourth floor. After breakfast, Pinechic will make his way around the mall. Reservations for breakfast are required. Call 231-5522. Participants are asked to donate \$1 to benefit the Ronald McDonald House.

•The family is invited to The Magic House, 516 S. Kirkwood Road, for a free night of fun

from 6 to 9 p.m. Friday (Dec. 18). At least one parent accompanied by no more than four children will be considered a family. Admission is on a first-come, first-served basis. The Magic House, St. Louis' only participatory museum for children, is open from 3 to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday; 3 to 9 p.m. Friday; 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday; and noon to 6 p.m. Sunday. For more information, call 822-8900.

•There are plenty of films and exhibits to entertain youngsters at the St. Louis Science Center in Forest Park. "The Story of the Star," the holiday show, is presented at noon and 8 p.m. in the McDonnell Star Theater. It investigates the astronomical nature of the Star of Bethlehem. The show is open to those younger than 5. "Alien Whispers" is shown at 1 p.m. Monday through Thursday in the McDonnell Star Theater. The program examines the question of intelligent life beyond earth and how we might make contact with extraterrestrials. Admission to both shows is \$2 for children 5 to 12, \$3 for adults. "Autumn Nights" is shown at 2 p.m. Friday and Saturday in the McDonnell Star Theater. Admission is \$1.25 for children, \$2 for adults. Science

Center hours: 9:30 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday; 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday; and 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sunday.

•If your child enjoys stories, the Muni/Student Theater Project presents tales of our sister cities of Stuttgart, Germany and Lyon, France at 2 p.m. Sunday (Dec. 20) at New City School, 5209 Waterman. Joyce Cheney shares these winter tales with all ages. Tickets are \$3. For reservations, call Theater Project Company box office at 531-1301.

•If you are looking for the right setting for the family Christmas photo, Missouri Botanical Garden's holiday exhibit could be the place. "Holiday Vignettes" combines living holiday decorations with mannequin characters in four scenes. The display, located in Ridgway Center, is open daily from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. It is free with Garden admission.

Huck Finn takes challenge from Spirit of St. Charles

By Dennis Miller
Staff affiliate

The owner of the Missouri River Queen has withdrawn from a riverboat race planned in St. Charles this month, but has been replaced by the Huck Finn riverboat of St. Louis.

The Huck Finn "has accepted the challenge of the Spirit of St. Charles riverboat to determine the fastest boat on the Missouri River," said a spokesman for Spirit owner David B. Flavan.

The event, being promoted as "The Great Missouri Riverboat Race," is scheduled to begin at 3 p.m. Dec. 20 at Frontier Park on

the St. Charles Riverfront. It is part of the "Christmas Tradition" celebrations sponsored by the South Main Preservation Society, the Special Business District and the St. Charles Department of Tourism.

"The Huck Finn is no stranger to riverboat racing, participating each year in the annual Memorial Day Race on the Mississippi River," the spokesman said.

Both Flavan and city Tourism Director Beverly Phillips said they contacted operators of the Huck Finn after being told that the Missouri River Queen would not be coming to St. Charles

after all.

The Huck Finn is expected to make the journey from the St. Louis riverfront to St. Charles Dec. 19 and return either immediately after the race or the next day.

KMOX-Radio personality Grant Horton has agreed to serve as honorary pilot on the Huck Finn.

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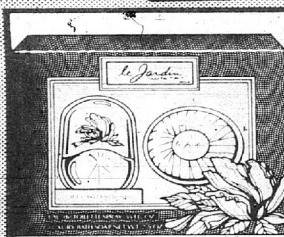
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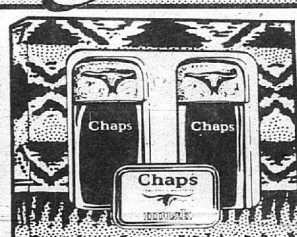
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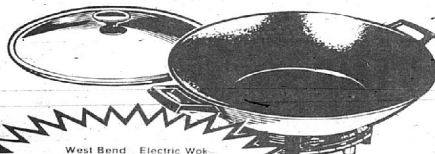
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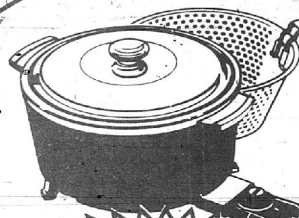
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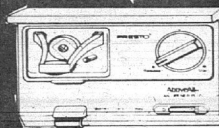
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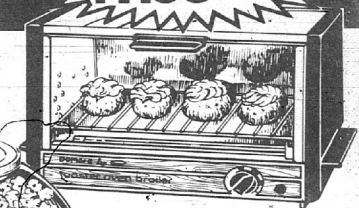
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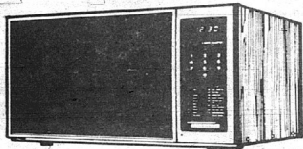
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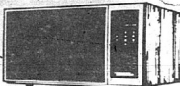


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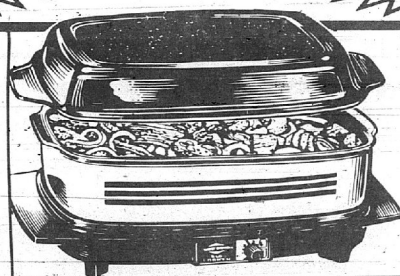


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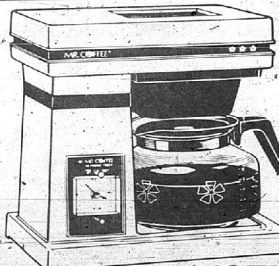
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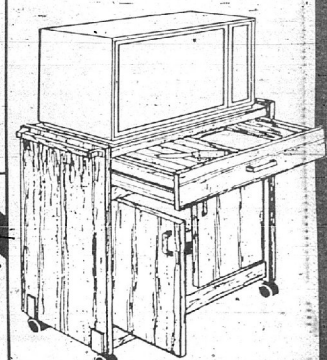
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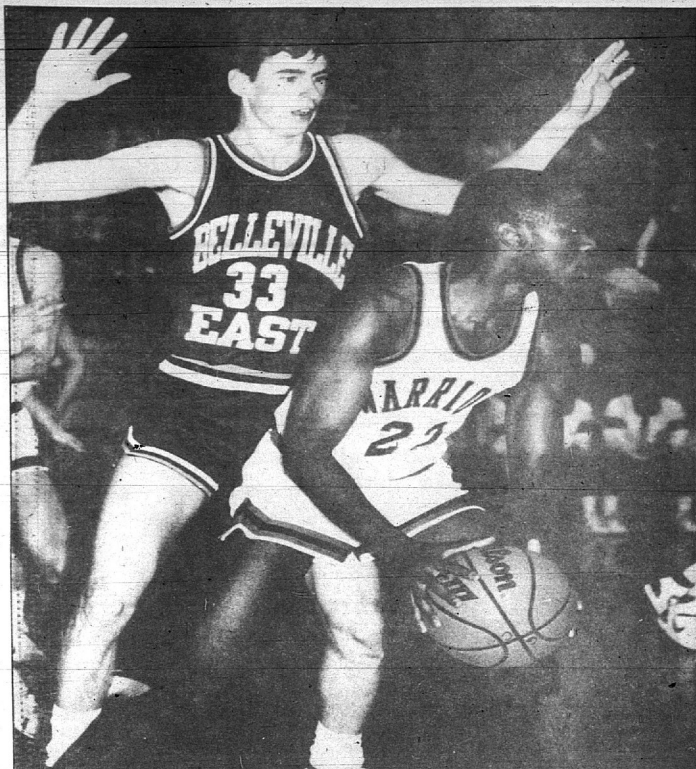
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KEVIN SANDERS prepares to make a move on Belleville East's Cy Schwarz during Friday's game at Memorial Gymnasium.

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Claggett stays on comeback trail with 41 to end Stars' losing streak

By Dave Whaley
Executive sports editor

GRANITE CITY — A few years of employment in a department store must do something for one's shooting touch. Charles Claggett has come back from four years on the sidelines with a vengeance. He has become a kind of scoring machine for the GCC Stars. The 1981 graduate of Madison High School really put the pedal to the metal on Saturday with 41 points as the Stars broke a six-game losing streak with a resounding 119-75 win over State Community College of East St. Louis.

Claggett played for the Trojans' state championship team in 1981 before playing a year at Lewis and Clark Community College. But then he went to work at the St. Louis Famous-Barr for four years. He didn't resurface on the basketball court until this year, but he has been something, averaging 24.8 points in six games.

His big effort on Saturday was a surprise to his coach, Terry Collins, who seemed incredulous when informed Claggett had 41.

"I didn't realize he had that many," Collins said in amazement. "We took him out (with eight minutes left) because we

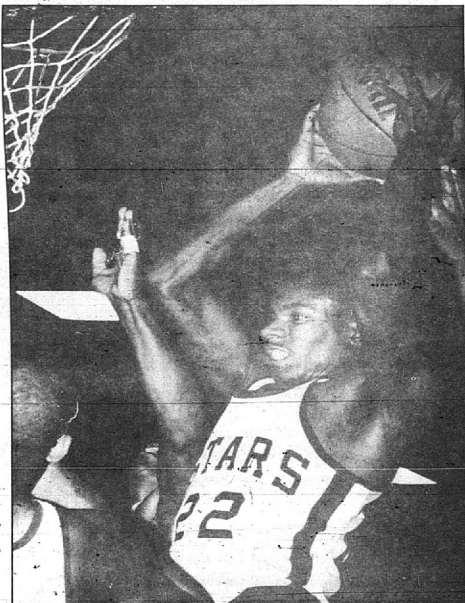
didn't want him to get hurt. But we would like to see him break the record in a closer game."

The record Collins was referring to was Kirt Robinson's school record of 42 points in a game set last year. There is little doubt in Collins' mind that Claggett will break that sometime.

"If he can get 41 points without me even realizing it, I'm sure he will do it," Collins said. "If you had asked me what he had, I would have said something like 23. He obviously can score."

But his biggest contribution might have been a nice little speech he made at halftime. Charles just said something about playing with more intensity.

The Stars played with a good amount of intensity the whole stretch in each half when the Cobras (2-8) made a mini-run. But they never got any closer



CHARLES CLAGGETT powers his way to a rebound before going back up for two of his 41 points.

(Staff photo by Dave Whaley)

than 14 points after the early part of the game. Meanwhile, the Stars — particularly Claggett — just kept on running and scoring.

"I feel kind of funny after this one," Collins said. "I don't know how much this helped us. This might have even been a step back. We were definitely on the right track after the games with Jefferson and Three Rivers. We played two real good teams very tight even though we lost. We just shook loose tonight."

Besides Claggett, Darwin Montana also shook loose. He had 21 points and eight assists while keeping up the defensive pressure and running the fast break.

And he didn't foul out, which might have cost the Stars the games with Jefferson and Three Rivers.

"It's just self-discipline," Collins said. "In high school he was so quick he could get away with more. And they didn't need him to play 35-40 minutes at Wabash last year. He wasn't getting that much playing time which is why he transferred. But for about eight minutes against Three Rivers on Thursday, Darwin was as good as anything going on over at the Shootout or anywhere."

But Claggett was the big story.

(See CLAGGETT, Page 7D)

Cold shooting keeps Warriors reeling in loss to Wood River

By Gary King
Staff writer

FOUND: A large manhole cover, large enough to prevent a basketball from entering the hoop. **PLACE:** Granite City (Friday), Wood River (Saturday). **Frustrated coach asks that owner pick up said cover ASAP.**

WOOD RIVER — The guy who pulled this one should be applauded. He makes Bonnie and Clyde look more like June and Ward Cleaver. He got the Granite City basketball team on Friday night at Memorial Gymnasium. He followed them up to Wood River on Saturday.

He must be quick — he sneaks in, puts a manhole cover on top of the Warrior basket, and then watches Granite City (2-5) shoot, miss, kick the floor; shoot, miss, kick themselves; and shoot, miss, and kick the bucket.

In Friday's loss to Belleville East, the practical joke was almost funny.

So where was Warrior coach Don Deterding's all-right-you-got-me grin after Saturday night's 51-42 loss to the Wood River Oilers?

"We play hard, and we come away with nothing to show for it," Deterding said, shaking his already hung head. "This was just a ditto of last night. We've fallen apart everywhere — except on defense."

"If it wasn't for our defense, we'd be going down by 30 or 40 points."

GRANITE CITY SATURDAY
WOOD RIVER 51, Granite City 42
GRANITE CITY: Van Buskirk 15, Sanders 12, Mike R. Wilkinson 8, Cranshaw 4, Mike A. Wilkinson 3, Miller 2, Fols 1, PF-15.
WOOD RIVER: Shook 21 (15 rebounds), Zupan 13, Woodard 7, Geller 4, Goodman 4, Decker 2, PF-17 3-pointers, FT-15, PF-15.

Get the feeling that Deterding's mind is not on Christmas cheer? And who could blame him?

Friday, the Warriors did not shoot well. Saturday, they shot like a blind sniper. In all, Granite City's top seven players connected on 15 of the 57 attempts they unleashed in the loss to Wood River (4-1). That figure can be looked at one of two ways: The Warriors made 26 percent, or they missed 74 percent.

Guess which way Deterding looked at it?

"The discouraging thing is that the kids are better shooters than this," Deterding said. "We just have to snap this doggone thing."

So bad was the night Saturday that the Warriors did not break zero on the scoreboard until 1:37 remained in the first quarter. Sophomore point guard John Van Buskirk (15 points, seven-of-13 from the floor), the only Warrior starter who dodged the weekend jinx, got Granite City's first basket on a layup and added another seconds later to help the Warriors battle to an 11-6 deficit by quarter's end.

Six second-quarter points by

center Kevin Sanders (12 points and 12 rebounds) helped the Warriors trim Wood River's lead to 21-18 at halftime.

The Warriors took their first lead of the game early in the third quarter behind senior Mike Wilkinson's first, and only, field goal of the night.

But Wood River scored six straight points to take an insurmountable 36-31 lead into the final period.

With neither Wilkinson nor Sanders able to remove the manhole cover in the final period, Wood River kept a comfortable lead until the final buzzer.

The fact that the junior Wilkinson and Sanders were a combined four-of-27 from the floor had a definite cause-and-effect relationship with the loss, Deterding said.

"When your studs are that cold, it's a miracle we stayed in the ballgame," the Warrior coach said.

"We stunk up the place on the boards. We're not a good shooting ballclub and we're not a good passing ballclub. Defense is all we have right now."

"We're just going to have to work this thing out together."

Dave Shook led the Oilers (4-1) with 21 points while Chris Zupan added 13.

Stuck on 399 career wins for the first two games, Deterding will get another shot at his 400th win when the Warriors host Cahokia at Memorial Gymnasium on Friday.

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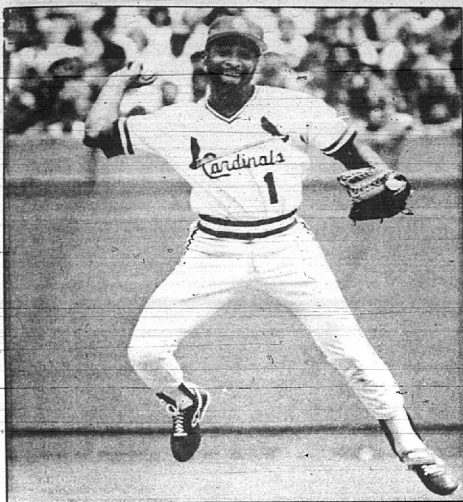
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OZZIE SMITH was honored at the St. Louis Variety Club's Allocations Luncheon on Dec. 11.

Sports briefs

Deadline is Dec. 23 for alumni signups

There is still plenty of room for Warrior hockey players of the past to sign up for the first alumni game Dec. 28.

"I know there are lots of guys in town who have been too lazy to sign up yet," said Warrior coach Gary Henson. "I've got a handful signed up, but there are about five more handouts out there who should sign up. If they don't do it, I might have to cancel it and I don't want to do that."

All former Warrior skaters who have graduated from high school and played for the Warriors in the Mid States Club Hockey Association are invited to attend.

To sign up, former players must contact Warrior coach Gary Henson at 797-6015 or sign up at the rink on Wednesdays through Dec. 23 at 8:15 p.m. Players must fill out a registration form and a waiver of injury form.

The game is being played as a fundraiser for the Warrior hockey program. Admission is \$3 for the general public. Refreshments will be served. The evening will last from approximately 6:30-9:35 p.m.

For more information, call Henson at 797-6015.

GC Soccer alumni banquet is Dec. 26

The Granite City soccer alumni banquet will be held on Dec.

26 at St. Gregory's Hall on Ponton Road (cash bar only).

Tickets are \$5 per person and may be purchased at Sheridan's Drug Store, Krekovich Realty, Jim's Cuts and Styles, from Gordon and Sandy Lane, from Ranne and Rosanne Rich or from Tom and Cookie Adamitis.

Weight training is held at GCHS

Warrior football coach Ron Yates has announced that winter weight training for all football players is being held now.

The sessions are from 3:30-4:30 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays in the weight room at Granite City High School. All football players not involved in winter sports are invited to attend.

The program started on Dec.

Choat rolls 4th 800 of season

Randy Choat of Granite City bowled his fourth 800 series of the season on Dec. 11.

Choat, a regular at Bowland Lanes, now has rolled 11 800 series in his career. He is also closing in on a feat never accomplished before. No one has ever had six 800 series in the same bowling series. With four to his credit, Choat has until May to roll two more and put his name in the record books.

Ironically, the 806 Choat rolled on Dec. 11 was the third time this year he has had an 806 series. His other high series was an 802.

Smith honored by St. Louis Variety Club

Christmas was celebrated early this year by 140 St. Louis area children's agencies which shared funds raised during the 1987 Sammy Davis Jr. Variety Telethon at Variety's 21st annual Allocations Luncheon.

The telethon, which aired Feb. 7-8 on KSDK-TV (Channel 5), raised an unprecedented \$2,066,983 — the largest amount ever raised for a St. Louis-produced telethon.

Zane E. Barnes, president of the St. Louis Variety Club, announced that funds from the 19-hour charity/entertainment spectacular were distributed at the luncheon Dec. 11 in the

Promenade Ballroom of the Adam's Mark Hotel. Barnes pointed out that 1987 allocations include 15 Sunshine Coaches for area children's agencies. Sunshine Coaches are all-purpose, 12-passenger vans.

Cardinal shortstop Ozzie Smith was presented Variety's Champion for Children Award at the luncheon for his contributions to handicapped and disadvantaged children in the St. Louis area.

Smith, a member of the Board of Directors of the St. Louis Variety Club, has taken an active role in fund raising for Variety, including appearances on the telethon. He also has also

become involved with numerous other children's causes through personal appearances or contributions.

The Sunshine Coach awarded to the Herbert Hoover Boys' Club will be in honor of Smith.

Other Sunshine Coaches will be presented to the following area children's agencies: Boys' Club of St. Charles; Boys Hope- St. Louis; Boys Town of Missouri; Cochran Community Center; ECHO Emergency Children's Home; Girls Club of St. Louis; Illinois Center for Autism, Fairview Heights, Ill.; Lessee Bates Davis Neighborhood House, East St. Louis; Mammie C. Stookley

Foundation, Belleville; Mental Health Services-Madison County Granite City; Neighborhood Association; St. Charles Association-Retarded Citizens; St. Louis Society for Crippled Children; and St. Vincent Home.

Davis will return to St. Louis March 5-6 for the 22nd annual telethon, which will be aired for the first time on KMOV-TV (Channel 4).

Other stars on this year's telethon will include Angie Dickinson, Lola Falana, John Forsythe, Artie Johnson, Sally Jessy Raphael and the Dallas Cowboys Cheerleaders.

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The Phonz

LAPHONSO ELLIS shoots from the outside as Alonzo Mourning (far left) and another unidentified Indian River player try to block the shot during the 7UP Sports News Shootout last Thursday. Ellis and his East St. Louis Lincoln Tiger teammates lost 88-86 at Jacksonville on Saturday as the Crimsoms' Andy Kaufmann had 49 points. Lincoln is 5-3.

Baltimore has sight in mind for Big Red

By Jim Bear
Staff affiliate

FIRST OF A SERIES

Numerous cities are vying for the right to have the football Cardinals select their city as a home base in 1988. Baltimore appears to be one of the leading contenders to win Bill Bidwill's team.

In the next few weeks the Journal will be looking at each of the cities courting St. Louis' football team.

Bernert J. Belgrad, chairman of the Maryland Stadium Authority, has been hoping to soon land either the football Cardinals or a National Football League expansion team for Baltimore.

The Maryland State Legislature already has appropriated \$200 million to construct a twin stadium complex in the Inner Harbor area of downtown Baltimore.

The complex ideally would be occupied by the Orioles and an NFL franchise. Stadium authority officials are just waiting for signed leases to begin construction. Negotiations are presently under way with the Orioles for a long-term stadium lease, but no work will begin on the complex until both the Orioles and an NFL owner sign a lease contract.

Baltimore officials say they feel hopes of winning the Big Red could be dimming. Bidwill has shown an interest in warm-weather cities or a city with a dome planned, according to his attorney, Thomas J. Guilfoil.

Belgrad said, like St. Louis, the cost of a domed stadium in Baltimore was too high to consider unless private investors became interested in making up the difference. Belgrad said another \$41 million would be

needed to dome the football stadium.

A month ago, Bidwill rejected County Executive Gene McNary's proposal to build an outdoor stadium in the Riverport area of Maryland Heights.

Despite Bidwill's interest in a dome or a climate better than that found in St. Louis, Guilfoil said Baltimore still is seriously under consideration by Bidwill.

"Baltimore is still in the picture even with an outdoor stadium proposal," Guilfoil said.

Guilfoil said Bidwill will make a decision about staying or leaving once he has gathered all the necessary information and weighed all of his options.

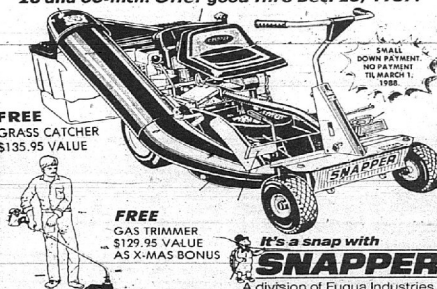
"Further, he hasn't ruled out staying in St. Louis either," Guilfoil said.

Guilfoil said the only critical date concerning the Cardinals is Jan. 15.

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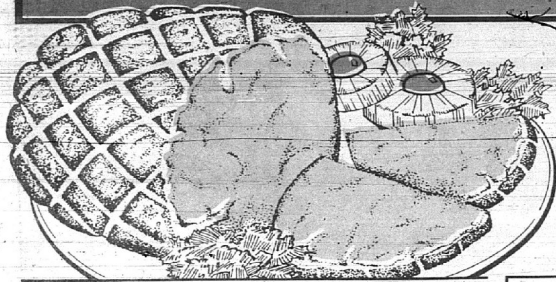
Belgrad, who officially speaks for the mayor-elect, Kurt Schmoke, and Maryland Gov. William Donald Schaffer, said the decision will ultimately rest on two key factors.

"Mr. Bidwill will have to measure the strengths and weaknesses of each contending city," Belgrad said. "He will have to determine the quality of life for both himself and his family."

"No one is trying to predict the outcome of this one,"

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2 CLAYTON: 9069 Clayton Rd. at Brentwood Blvd. 726-6455		5 NORTHWEST PLAZA: Outside Lower Level by Landmark Bank (Mon.-Sat. 9:30-10:30 Sun. 11-6) 281-5005		8 EASTALTON: Rte. 3 across from Edgemoor by Shred-it IL 254-0689, 741-3618		11 BALDWIN: 15205 Mullichere Rd (next to McDonalds), 227-9890	
3 CRESTWOOD: 9806 Highway 66 965-1830		6 BRIDGETON: 3615 N. Lindbergh across from Northwest Plaza by Shell 739-3150		9 FERGUSON: 10785 New Halls Ferry across from Central City by Burger King 866-1665		12 FAIRVIEW HEIGHTS, IL: Hwy. 50 by THOP IL# 397-9155, 421-4454	

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